

A POCKET FULL OF FREE GOLD.

Riches Rampant in the Rawhide.

One of the Biggest Strikes in Many Months.

Ore Running Fifteen Thousand Dollars a Ton.

Mrs. Martin's Shot Fatal—State Board of Examiners—Woodland Case—Marceau to Pay Alimony—Fair's Will.

(BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.)

SAN FRANCISCO, April 3.—(Special Dispatch.) The richest strike in California for months is reported from the old Rawhide mine in Tuolumne county. A pocket has been struck at the new 500-foot level, the extent of which is not known, but which is nearly free gold with little sulphurates. The samples assay from \$15,000 to \$20,000 a ton. The discovery was made about a week ago, since which time additional guards have been placed on the property, and a few sacks of the precious deposit have been taken out daily. The importance and extent of the find are such that W. A. Nevills, superintendent and principal owner, has deferred his monthly cleanup and visit to the branch mint in this city. The rich ore just come upon differs in appearance from that in other parts of the mine. It is described as a gray, slaty quartz. On a quartz backing is a face of slate, nearly filled with free gold.

The mine is situated two and one-half miles northwest of Jamestown on the Rawhide ranch. For years previous to 1892, when it came into possession of the present owners for comparatively small amount, it had not been worked. Tuolumne county had been noted for its pocket mines, and in old days until the new methods of working quartz had been adopted, free gold was all that was sought. Thousands of tons of ore which have since been profitably worked were passed aside in the hunt for pockets.

It was so with the Rawhide. In 1892 a fissure 150 feet broad was observable, and was known to contain considerable bodies of quartz. A tunnel near the north end of the claim showed serpentine. It was about four hundred feet from the foot-wall. There were some other crosscuts and indications of gold, but no one suspected the richness of the property previous to the present strike. Nevills and his associates took hold of the property five years ago. They reopened it with improved machinery and modern methods, junk a main shaft of three compartments, put in a forty-stamp mill, and created a body of quartz. The Rawhide began to pay almost at once, and it is safe to say that it has covered not only the first outfit, but expensive machinery. The rock which the pocket-seekers despoiled has proved a great source of wealth to the owners. The proof that the Rawhide has been a paying venture is the fact that Nevills purchased a portion of the ex-Emperor Eugene's diamonds for \$25,000 and made a Christmas present of them to his wife two years ago.

STREET-CAR ROBBERS.

Sheriff Johnson of Sacramento "Gets Onto" (BY TELEGRAPH TO THE TIMES.)

SACRAMENTO, April 3.—During the past year the street-cars of the city have frequently been held up by masked men and the conductors and motormen robbed. The highwaymen would not only take the money of the railroad company, but would relieve the employees of their watches and other valuables. A few months ago, late at night, three masked men entered the office of the street railway company in the suburbs of the city, tied the employees with ropes, looted them of their money and watches, and then fled. They secured several hundreds of dollars.

Tonight two of the robbers are in jail and the other will be held in bars before dawn. One of them has made a complete confession. The men were captured through the efforts of Sheriff Johnson and his deputies. The two men in jail are Fred Swand and a man named Baker. The third is L. L. Callendine. Townsend made the confession tonight.

Sheriff Johnson left for Marysville on the Oregon express and immediately upon his arrival there will arrest Callendine. The latter gained considerable notoriety a few months ago when he killed Jack Harris, a well-known local sportsman. Callendine and Mrs. Harris were out walking together last night when Jack Harris was shot. Harris losing his life. The killing had a sequel last week when Callendine was married to Mrs. Harris at Marysville.

TRYING TO COMPROMISE.

A Lively Scramble in the Litigation Over Fair's Will.

(BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.)

SAN FRANCISCO, April 3.—All the parties to the litigation over the estate of James G. Fair are trying to compromise, except Dr. Marc Levinston, executor under the will of September 24, and Mrs. Nettie Craven, the witness to that will. If Dr. Levinston and Mrs. Craven could be induced to withdraw from the trial by jury yesterday, but it did not go on. Van R. Patterson, counsel for the minor heirs, was not ready to proceed, as he said he had relied on Judge Black's decision of a year ago that the will of September 21 would first be passed upon. This fact will give the parties to the litigation a chance to do some more talking with Mrs. Craven and Dr. Levinston before the

case comes to trial. Mrs. Craven will not allow the pencil will to be dropped. Van R. Patterson will not allow it to go to trial without a fight, even if no one else is heard from in his support. If the will of September 21 is probated Mrs. Craven promises litigation, so the chance of settlement without a compromise is not very good.

CHOSE NEW OFFICERS.

Last Day of the State Sunday-school Convention.

(BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.) SACRAMENTO, April 3.—Today being the last day of the State Sunday-school convention, the time was devoted principally to closing up its affairs and electing officers for the ensuing year.

The following were elected delegates to the National Sunday School Convention to be held in Boston: J. F. Wilson, Napa; G. G. Burnett, San Francisco; Dr. John Kimball, San Francisco; Rev. R. N. Stevenson, Sacramento; Rev. S. W. Wirt, San Francisco; Mrs. H. W. Dexter, Woodland; Mrs. G. A. Stoddard, Sacramento.

The following were elected officers for the ensuing year: President, H. Morton of San Jose; vice-presidents, Rev. H. N. Hoyt of Sacramento, J. Andriano of Napa, Rev. M. B. Boynton of San Francisco, Rev. F. D. Seward of Fresno; secretary, Earl S. Bingham of San Jose; assistant secretary, Miss E. Ketchum of Berkeley; statistical secretary, Moore Hesketh of Woodland; treasurer, C. B. Perkins of San Francisco; secretary home department, Rev. L. W. Wirt of San Francisco; Executive Committee, Rev. W. S. Hoskinson of Sacramento. The choosing of a place for holding the next State convention was left to the Executive Committee. The convention adjourned at 2:30 o'clock.

HE NEVER SAID IT.

Chauncey M. Depew Denies that He Slandered California Women.

(BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.)

SAN FRANCISCO, April 3.—Chauncey M. Depew put his hand on his heart last night and solemnly denied that he had ever said there were no handsome women in California. Mr. Depew was astonished and pained to find that such an ungalant remark had been attributed to him. Mr. Vanderbilt also took exception to the statement and twitted Depew about it.

"Now, Chauncey, you know you have not met any ladies in California," said Mr. Vanderbilt, "so you are not a competent authority on their beauty or vivacity. You have seen everything in the State save the ladies, so you cannot be a judge of the latter."

"That is so," said Mr. Depew. "I am an admirer of the ladies, and I do not wish to be represented as saying that California has not its quota of good-looking women. As a matter of fact, I wish to go on record as saying that it has always been my understanding that Kentucky and California hold the palm for handsome women."

A COSTLY INSTITUTION.

The Examiners Investigating the Asylum at Berkeley.

(BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.)

SACRAMENTO, April 3.—At a meeting of the State Board of Examiners today the cost of the maintenance of the inmates of the Asylum for the Deaf, Dumb and Blind at Berkeley was the subject of investigation. It was ascertained that the cost per capita was greater there than in any public institution in the State. This board of Examiners held was due to the fact that the supplies for the institution were not contracted for in the proper manner. A report of the investigation that the cost per year for each inmate was \$288. Gov. Budd had feared there might be a deficiency in the appropriation for the State Prison. Depew, president of the Board of Prison Directors, to appear before the examiners, showed that there was sufficient money at the disposal of the directors to meet all probable outlays.

The State Quarantine.

SACRAMENTO, April 3.—The quarantine imposed by the Department of Agriculture which has rested upon the State with regard to the shipment of large livestock from that section north of Lake Tahoe, to the Oregon boundary line, and from the crest of the Sierra Nevada, mountains eastward to the Nevada line. Maps showing relieved sections are now in the hands of the State Board of Health. A telegram received today from Secretary of Agriculture Mortimer announces that the Federal government will furnish two inspectors to pass upon all cattle shipped from this State consigned to eastern points.

Surrounded by Mud.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 3.—The British ship Godiva, at Long Bridge, was surrounded by mud, and in a queer predicament. She is loaded to the twenty-two-foot mark, and has to pass over a ridge on which there is only six inches of water. The water about the ship is deep enough, but a rise of mud lies in front of her bow. It is thought the ship can be pulled over the ridge at high water, plowing through the mud. The ship would have to be charged again, in which case the owners will be at a great loss, as the Godiva is under special charter and is in a great hurry to get away.

Attorneys "Scrap" in Court.

WOODLAND, April 3.—The preliminary examination of Collins and Shepherd, proprietors of the Woodland Mills, who are accused of arson, commenced today. The defense objected to the presence of District Attorney Hopkins, charging that he was the legal attorney of the insurance companies. Hopkins denounced this statement as a lie, and a lively and heated personal argument arose. The judge was compelled to call the warring attorneys to order, and finally exclude Detective Barry and all the witnesses from the courtroom. Some unimportant testimony was taken, and the case adjourned until next Tuesday.

Mrs. Martin's Shot Fatal.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 3.—John F. Martin, the Deputy County Clerk who was shot by his wife Monday morning died today. His condition had showed considerable improvement up to a few hours before his death. Mrs. Martin's condition is so precarious that the news of her husband's death has not yet been broken to her. The charge of murder will be placed against her name at the prison within the next day or two.

Fire at Livermore.

LIVERMORE, April 3.—A fire which started at 3 o'clock this afternoon in Buck's tailorshop caused a loss of \$800. The Cosmopolitan Hotel, Day's livery stable and a saloon were burned.

A Customs Officer Indicted.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 3.—Chinese inspector of Customs Richard S. Williams has been indicted by the Federal grand jury. The charges upon which he is indicted are that he has illegally landed Chinese and per-

mitting them to remain in this city, bribery being the motive. The charges against Williams were preferred by Mr. Moore, special agent of the Treasury Department.

Mrs. Vaccarella's Admissions.

STOCKTON, April 3.—Mrs. Vaccarella, who is in jail on suspicion of having killed her husband because of his brutal treatment, has been charged with the murder. She has told something of the quarrel they had, and acknowledged that they had a row on the night before his death. He threatened to shoot, and accused her of all sorts of things, and she replied that she was breaking down in health because of his conduct, and she could not stand it much longer. She is in a delicate condition, and she thought that she will soon be bailed out of jail.

Mrs. Frank West Dead.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 3.—Mrs. Frank West, wife of the well-known vineyardist of Stockton, died at the Occidental Hotel this evening. Mrs. West had been ill for several months, and came to this city ten days ago to secure medical treatment. Shortly after her arrival here, however, she was attacked with pneumonia, which caused her death. The money she was to have along through a long term of service, and is thought to have made away with about \$18,000 altogether.

Arrested an Embroiderer.

STOCKTON, April 3.—Sheriff Cunningham wired today from Port Hartford that he had captured Edward C. Nielsen, the trusted book-keeper for the firm of Theoson Bull, who was recently left here. He is charged with embezzlement. He appropriated from \$50 to \$250 a month from the firm's funds and spent the money as he went along through a long term of service, and is thought to have made away with about \$18,000 altogether.

Vanderbilt and Depew.

NAPA, April 3.—Cornelius Vanderbilt and Chauncey M. Depew, with a party of Southern Pacific officials, went through Napa today. They were briefly entertained by Capt. Nelbbaum, from which point they returned to San Francisco.

Will Make an Allowance.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 3.—In the Marceau divorce case today the attorney for Marceau announced that their client was willing to pay Mrs. Marceau an allowance of \$300 a month pending the litigation.

Trial of Linton Ended.

JACKSON, April 3.—The trial of Linton for murder closed last night, the jury finding a verdict of manslaughter after two hours' deliberation. He will be sentenced on Monday.

SIXTEEN PEOPLE DROWN.

A KENTUCKY CLOUDBURST WORKS AWFUL HAVOC.

Wild Flood Pours Down Through the Gorges Along Little Sexton and Buffalo Creeks—Houses and Log-booms Washed Away.

(BY ASSOCIATED PRESS WIRE.)

LEXINGTON, (Ky.), April 3.—The recent cloudburst in Clay and Owsley counties was more disastrous than at first reported. Buffalo Creek, which is across the south fork of the Kentucky River, suffered more than Sexton Creek by the rain. Every house on the stream was washed away. Miss Mary Garrett was drowned while trying to escape. George Capson's wife and three children, two children of Will Burns and two others whose names are not given were also drowned. John Crane, a logger, rescued his wife and small children when they were drifting down the stream on some uprooted trees. Thousands of logs are going down stream. The large booms at Booneville are choked with logs, and it is feared the booms and all will be carried away the water. Part of the town is inundated, and a number of persons have had to move their household effects up on the side of the mountain. North Fork and Middle Creek are both overflowing their banks, and at Jackson Military Academy instructor Bull has been drowned while riding on a raft.

ANOTHER ACCOUNT.

CINCINNATI, (O.), April 3.—A special from Booneville, Ky., says that a cloudburst on Little Sexton and Buffalo creeks is reported, which did great damage to property and has killed probably sixteen persons were drowned. Sexton Creek rises near Burning Springs, and is one of the feeders of the south fork of the Kentucky River. It flows in some places through deep gorges. Through these gorges stream rushes, when in flood tide, with the speed of a train, and the rushing water, spreading out with wonderful rapidity.

People little thought that the little brook would rise so rapidly, or was capable of gathering such a volume of water. The cloudburst occurred up in the gorges, the water gathered in a moment and the flood poured down in a solid wall, carrying all before it in its path. Five people were drowned by the Little Sexton.

Buffalo Creek is even more crooked and tortuous than Little Sexton. Its actions after the burst, nine people are believed to have lost their lives. A great many logs were hurled down the side and some of the people knocked the cabins and outbuildings to pieces. Nine people were killed.

On Sexton Creek and its tributaries five were drowned at Jackson. One suffered heavily, as did Clay and Owsley. It was the most disastrous flood in years, and came so quickly that it was the ruin of any of the valley people escaped.

THE RUNAWAYS FOUND.

Two Girls and Their Boy Companions Lodged in Jail.

The four ill-trained children who ran away Wednesday morning, bringing shame upon themselves and their families, were arrested yesterday afternoon.

George Comper, a special policeman, had just finished reading about the case in the morning paper yesterday afternoon when he looked out of his window and saw a variety of street and saw the young people crawling through a hole in a fence. He recognized them at once as the runaways. He arrested them and took them to the City Jail.

The boys laughed nonchalantly and seemed little affected by their arrest. They gave their names as John Colburn and Ed A. Rosa. They were booked at the Police Station on "suspicion," as it has not yet been decided just what will be done with them.

Bertha Petrie was rearrested on a complaint sworn out by her father, declaring her incorrigible. She was transferred to the County Jail, and will be kept there until she is examined for commitment to Whittier. It has not yet been decided what will be done in the case of Emma Steadman.

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Many and Various Forms of Pleasure Devised.

An Excursion to Mount Lowe During the Day and a Reception and Banquet in the Evening Part of the Fun.

The Mayor and Councilmen of Minneapolis, with a number of members of the Minnesota party, went to Mt. Lowe yesterday in response to the invitation extended to them by President Sherman and Superintendent Clark of the Pasadena and Pacific Railway Company. Lunch was served at Echo Mountain since after which the tour over the mountain division of the Mt. Lowe Electric Railway was taken. From the heights above the hotel the company looked out over the matchless beauties of the San Gabriel Valley with delight. Far above the rugged cañons they looked down at the city of Los Angeles, and the surrounding country. The course by which they had ascended so easily to those giddy heights, and all pronounced the road a wonderful triumph of engineering. Gliding smoothly along the curves of this unique railway to cloudlands, the visitors were soon where they could look back in wonder at the heights from which they had descended. The electric mechanism of the inclined plane and cable system was viewed appreciatively, and again the party took some of the scenic views of the valley. The visitors were enthusiastic in their praises of the scenery and appreciative of the courtesy with which they were treated. The sun shone brightly on the land of sunshine their eyes have been opened to the beauties of Southern California and to the resources of the country, even when they begin to be developed. When they leave for Minnesota, they will take away with them pleasant memories of the city and of its people.

THE RECEPTION.

In the evening at 8 o'clock the members of the Chamber of Commerce tendered a reception to the visiting delegates of the party at the rooms of the Hotel. The second floor of the building was transformed into a ballroom, and the room the visitors and their guests gathered for an informal meeting. Speeches were made by Mayor Pratt, Mayor of Minneapolis, and Charles F. Haney, City Clerk of the same town. Since the manner in which the delegates were received, the party was very much pleased. A large bowl of punch stood near the entrance, and as the rooms were slightly crowded, the Mayor and his officials about it all the evening. The Reception Committee of the Chamber of Commerce made themselves individually acquainted with the visitors, and every one who they desired to meet.

THE BANQUET.

At about 9 o'clock the members of the Minnesota Association of Southern California marshalled their guests in array, and guided them over to Jerry's, where a splendid dinner had been prepared for them. A Spanish dinner, something that the visitors would be hardly likely to get in Minnesota, was the feature of the evening. The dinner was made for the visiting officials, and it was with much zest and more appetite that the seventy-three diners sat down to the banquet. The Mayor, J. R. Newberry was at the head of the table. Mayor Pratt of Minneapolis, on his right hand, and all of the way down the line were the officials of both cities, seated in a most amicable manner, cheek by jowl with each other. The dinner was a most successful one, and the guests were very much pleased. The Mayor and his officials about it all the evening. The Reception Committee of the Chamber of Commerce made themselves individually acquainted with the visitors, and every one who they desired to meet.

THE PROGRAMME TODAY.

Today all who have carriages are invited to assist in showing the visitors over the city. It is proposed to visit the parks and drive way the more notable features of the city's environment. Starting at 9 o'clock, the party will expend the forenoon in viewing the beauties of Los Angeles, and unless its members can be induced to remain over until tomorrow, or Monday, farewells will be said, and all will return to their private cars in the evening for their journey home by way of Sacramento, Portland, and the Great Northern Railway. No stops will be made, except such as may be necessary for train connections.

A Constantinople Cablegram Says that Miss Clara Barton, president of the American Red Cross Society, is much disturbed on account of reports of the Turkish Government that the Red Cross relief is being controlled by Turks. This is not the case. The Turkish Government allow the agents of Miss Barton to distribute relief funds, the only stipulation being that it must be done in the presence of a Turkish official.

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TO LET—JUST FINISHED AND NEWLY furnished, THE MONTEREY, 135 S. Main and Broadway; also front rooms unfurnished for offices.

TO LET—FIRST-CLASS, SUNNY FRONT suite, complete housekeeping privileges; large sunny rooms; stairs; close in. NEAPOLITAN, 311 W. Sixth.

TO LET—ON WILMINGTON ST., LARGE front room, furnished, suitable for young men, rent \$3 per month. Apply 307 FIRST ST.

TO LET—LARGE, PLEASANT FURNISHED room, suitable for 2; modern conveniences; also single room; private family. 508 S. HOPE ST.

TO LET—LOS ANGELES ROOM-RENTING AGENCY, Miss Davies and Mrs. Martin proprietors, 124 S. Broadway, information free.

TO LET—THE "KAWAII," NEWLY furnished room, single or en suite; electric lights to all parts; gas, bath; water free. Apply at PREMIER, Broadway.

TO LET—NICE FURNISHED CONNECTING suite of housekeeping rooms, \$15; also other rooms. No. 230 CLAY ST.

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TO LET—NEWLY FURNISHED, SUNNY front room, best, gas, nice location; close in. 103 N. OLIVE.

TO LET—FURNISHED OR UNFURNISHED rooms at the ST. LAWRENCE, corner of Nevada and Main.

TO LET—ROOMS, FURNISHED AND UNFURNISHED, at OLIVE INN, 327 S. Olive, close to Fourth; housekeeping, information free.

TO LET—FROM 1 TO 4 ROOMS, NICELY furnished, with use of parlor; cheap rent. 215 S. BROADWAY.

TO LET—LARGE, FINELY FURNISHED rooms, with board; table board. THE ABBEY, 123 S. Hill.

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TO LET—3 FURNISHED ROOMS AND bath, for housekeeping, on ground floor. SAN JULIAN.

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TO LET—THE CHADWIN, 504 S. SPRING, nicely furnished front rooms; also single rooms.

TO LET—3 SUITES OF 3 ROOMS EACH FOR \$3. 525 BUENA VISTA ST., near the Court-house.

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TO LET—THE FRANCIS, NEWLY furnished rooms, reasonable. 512 S. Spring.

TO LET—TWO FURNISHED ROOMS, SUITABLE for housekeeping. 27 E. SEVENTH ST.

TO LET—FURNISHED ROOMS FOR LIGHT housekeeping. 515 S. FLOWER ST.

TO LET—FURNISHED ROOMS, WITH OR without board. 118 W. SIXTH ST.

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TO LET—NICE, SUNNY ROOM, SINGLE OR en suite. 319 N. BROADWAY.

TO LET—A CHOICE FRONT ROOM, FURNISHED, with use of parlor. 319 N. BROADWAY.

TO LET—ROOMS, SUNNY ROOMS, NEW building. 63 S. SIXTH ST.

TO LET—FURNISHED ROOMS AND USE of bath at 115 S. FLOWER ST.

TO LET—TWO ROOMS, ONE \$7, ONE \$4 a month. 515 CLAY ST.

TO LET—ELEGANT ROOMS, \$10; FREE water. 1232 W. 11TH ST.

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725 Turner, 5 rooms, \$15.

745 S. Julian, 4 rooms, \$7.

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TO LET—A FIRST-CLASS 3-ROOM COTTAGE on Hill, close in; is newly new and first-class in every respect; only permanent and responsible tenant wanted. W. FISHER, 263 S. Spring St., Kohler & Chase.

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TO LET—HANDSOME LITTLE HOUSE, 7 rooms, bath, gas, all modern conveniences; to the right party on Bonnie Brae st. sell carpets, new. Address B. box 17, TIMES OFFICE.

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TO LET—3-ROOM HOUSE, BATH, PANTRY and large screened porch; \$12.50 a month, reasonable. GARDNER, 108 S. SPRING.

TO LET—PARADISE, A 3-ROOM HOUSE, cor. Fair Oaks and Colorado sts. Apply V. WARD, over 204 S. Sixth.

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TO LET—A WATER INCLUDED; 5-ROOM house, 174 VERNON AVE., second house north of Washington.

TO LET—CHAP, 3-ROOM HOUSE, REAR of 413 S. Hope st.; 3 water free. OWNER, 110 S. Broadway.

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TO LET—NEW 3-ROOM HOUSE, NO. 31 S. Pines, Inquire H. D. GODFREY, 11 S. Hill.

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TO LET—A-ROOM COTTAGE, CLOSE IN. Inquire of W. H. TUTTILL, 215 S. Broadway.

TO LET—COTTAGE OF 3 ROOMS, HARD finished, on car line. Apply 325 BOYD ST.

TO LET—A LARGE PLAIN COTTAGE AND barn. Inquire PENIEL HALL.

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HARBORPHOBIA.

The Evening Express continues to climb the pole and exhibit to an amused and at the same time disgusted community its caudal appendage.

What a satire it is upon the mental caliber of the few people who read the Evening Express that it should continue to give vent to the amazing assertion that it would benefit Los Angeles to have Congress vote \$3,000,000 to build a harbor for the Southern Pacific Company of Kentucky at Santa Monica Cañon!

The people of Oakland know what it means to have a water-front controlled by the Southern Pacific Company. But Los Angeles is not Oakland. Our people have not grown up accustomed to the Southern Pacific yoke. They have enjoyed the inestimable privilege of railroad competition to the East, and, please God, they propose to have that privilege to the West also, the venal and ridiculous Evening Express to the contrary, notwithstanding. Yes, sir!

The Evening Express, which wears the Southern Pacific collar as if it really liked it, tells us of "a great deal of indignation" over the protest of the people against Mr. Huntington's insolent attempt to annex Southern California to his suzerainty. We are told of a petition that has "been gotten up" (by the Southern Pacific Company) and is being extensively signed. "One of the 'whereases' in this interesting pronouncement announces that 'the proposed improvement of both harbors would . . . permanently build up the permanent prosperity of Southern California to an empire.'"

Jess! Really, the S. P., with its vast resources, should hire more competent men to write its official papers. Look at the verbiage. Not to mention the logic.

Three hundred and ninety thousand dollars to accommodate lumber schooners at the people's site, while granting three millions to build a private harbor for Mr. Huntington at Santa Monica—a large portion of which sum he would pocket for rock and transportation of that rock—would be about as "fillin'" as a square meal given to a poor devil just before he is swung into eternity.

The wharf will be free to all vessels! Yes! But what good will it do them if any other than Mr. Huntington's trains cannot reach that wharf? But provision will be made that other trains shall run over Mr. Huntington's line. Now, does any intelligent reader of The Times believe that this shrewd railroad man, who has succeeded in "standing-off" the United States government for so many years, would display such a vast amount of anxiety to get away from San Pedro to Santa Monica if he didn't expect to get a "private snap" by doing so?

But, then, the Evening Express never did have any sense of humor. We wonder whether the idiotical individual who is responsible for these astonishing assaults upon the intelligence of a community ever hears what people say about them. Why, even the S. P. rounders have hard work to keep down their risible muscles.

The asserted "petition" goes on to say: "The undersigned believe that the sentiment of the masses is overwhelmingly in favor of the entire appropriation of the \$490,000 and the full development of both harbors."

"Is true that 'them asses' are in favor of this course, but they are few—mournfully few—and meantime the masses of the people continue to be densely impervious to the advantage of letting Mr. Huntington's corporation control our ocean commerce, as he does in Oakland."

The Evening Express says: "Will this town accept several million dollars and two good harbors, or reject both the money and harbors? On that point those interested in this city can only be of one mind."

Sure! For once the Evening Express has told the truth. Rather than sacrifice their future commercial prosperity to the tender mercies of a grasping and unscrupulous corporation that has kept the northern part of the State in bondage for a quarter of a century, the people of Los Angeles would prefer to await the enlightenment of Congress, or even the demise of Mr. Huntington, which—may we say, unfortunately—judging from his present activity, appears to be still far in the future.

However, there is no danger that we shall have to wait that long. Congress is being rapidly educated in regard to

the facts of this outrageous attempt to thwart the reasonable desires of a rapidly-growing community. Hence these frantic efforts on the part of the corporation and its journalistic pimps, which resemble the spasmodic squirms of a scotched snake.

In this connection it might be well to mention that if the editor of the Evening Express had spared enough leisure from his log-rolling and wire-pulling to devote even a few minutes' attention to this important question, which is of such vital interest to the community, he would be aware that L. W. Blinn, not H. G. Otis, is president of the Free Harbor League, and that Mr. Harman is not chairman of the Committee on Rivers and Harbors. But, then, these are trifling errors for the Evening Express, which should adopt as its motto: "Last of all the truth."

It is creditable to the reputation of Los Angeles that the Evening Express is the only daily journal in the city sufficiently shameless to deliberately oppose the interests of this community, as understood and upheld by its public bodies and a vast majority of its citizens, and to advocate the surrender of our commercial freedom for a miserable mess of Southern Pacific pottage. Meantime, citizens of Los Angeles will stand firmly in line for the free harbor, the people's harbor, the government harbor, thrice recommended by the government engineers—the deep-water harbor at San Pedro.

LET THERE BE NO WAVERING.

The action taken at the meeting of the Free Harbor League, held yesterday, was in full and hearty accord with the sentiments of a vast majority of the people of this section of the State. The telegram sent to Chairman Hooker, of the Committee on Rivers and Harbors, and to Congressman McLaughlin, have no uncertain meaning. They are straightforward, vigorous and right to the point. They voice the sentiments of the people, however distasteful those sentiments may be to railroad organs, hirelings and stipendiaries.

Better no appropriation for either harbor than that the government should recognize Mr. Huntington's private "harbor" and enter upon the stupendous and expensive task of converting an area of open sea into a deep-water harbor capable of accommodating ocean commerce. For Congress, under the circumstances, to make the proposed appropriation of nearly \$3,000,000 for Santa Monica would be little, if any, short of a legislative crime. If such an appropriation were made, and expended at Santa Monica, it would serve to tighten the grip which the Southern Pacific monopoly already has upon the people. The latter would simply be contributing a princely sum of money to tighten the fetters which already blind them. The people themselves would thus be made the instruments of their own oppression.

Why this extreme anxiety on the part of the Committee on Rivers and Harbors to force upon the people of this coast a work which nobody save Huntington has asked for, and which has not been approved by the government's expert engineers? Why this obvious determination on the part of the committee to sacrifice the people's harbor at San Pedro for Huntington's harbor at Santa Monica, against the advice of the government engineers and the wishes of the people, often and emphatically expressed? How can the members of the committee explain the dominating influence which this multimillionaire, representing a powerful corporation, holds over them? Why does the government maintain a corps of skilled engineers to investigate and report upon proposed public improvements, when their opinions are to be thrown aside as worthless at the behest of one man?

The bribe of \$3,000,000 which has been thrown out as a bait to the people of this section will deceive no person of intelligence or integrity. It is an insult to the people. It presupposes them to be either fools or knaves. It invites them, for the sake of an immediate expenditure of public money on this coast, to permit themselves to be bound hand and foot for all time. The people of this section have more intelligence and foresight than Huntington and his venal organs give them credit for.

If we do not get an adequate appropriation from this Congress for the improvement of the people's harbor, we shall obtain it from some future Congress. Nothing is more certain than that a suitable deep-sea harbor will ultimately be constructed on this coast. The people must continue to press this matter. They should refuse to accept any compromise, to be bribed into waiving their rights, or cajoled into foregoing their just demands. If public money is to be expended in making a public improvement, the people most directly interested certainly have a right to be heard as to the

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HOW IS THIS?

The people of Southern California have a great curiosity to know how it is that it seems so easy to get a \$3,000,000 appropriation for a "harbor" that has never been surveyed, indorsed by any board of government engineers, or otherwise recommended by the leading commercial bodies of the section in interest, when it has always been impossible to get anything but dribble appropriations for the only harbor of the section which has ever been officially recognized as a harbor. It really seems as though, if Congress is in such generous mood, it ought not to be difficult to get reasonable sums for the improvement of San Pedro, if our representative in the House will urge that location's cause as earnestly as he now appears to be favoring the Huntington grab.

If the Southern Pacific Railroad Company of Kentucky is able, by the simple asking, to steer a \$3,000,000 appropriation in its direction, the people of Los Angeles and of Southern California, aided by our Congressional delegation and commercial bodies, ought to have influence enough to get the amount applied where the people will be best served; or is it a fact that old Huntington is a bigger man than all the people of Southern California. We shall see!

No appropriation for Santa Monica was talked of while the delegation of the Free Harbor League was in Washington, and no member of that delegation supposed that any such appropriation was to be asked for, or even suggested to the committee. The government engineers have thrice reported in favor of San Pedro and against Santa Monica, as the best site for a deep-water harbor. There has never been any demand from the people of this section for the construction of a harbor at Santa Monica, while the people, aside from Southern Pacific attaches, beneficiaries, and paid agents, are practically unanimous for San Pedro. Under these circumstances it is not supposed that the House Committee on Rivers and Harbors would have the gall to insert in the bill an appropriation for Santa Monica. The fact that an appropriation aggregating \$2,800,000 was inserted shows that Huntington's influence with the Committee on Rivers and Harbors is greater than that of the almost unanimous sentiment of their constituents.

A banner displayed at the New York State Republican Convention referred to William McKinley as "Prosperity's Advance Agent." That is a good motto. It is a motto that is believed. Experience has proven the truth of it. McKinley is not a novice. He has been tested and found to be true. The people know this. Their wage account tells the story. McKinleyism in the past meant prosperity. Wilsonism meant bankruptcy, both private and public. The proposition, as has just been demonstrated by bitter experience, is very simple. It teaches one lesson. The fallacy of Wilsonian ideas has been contrasted with the correct ideas advanced by McKinley. It has been a costly contrast. As the burned child dreads the fire, so do the masses of the people dread Wilson fallacies, and eagerly do they commend the proven beneficial principles of protection.

At the recent national convention of the Federation of Labor, held in New York city, it was decided to inaugurate a strike on May 1 for an eight-hour day. About one hundred thousand men will be involved in the strike at the outset, and it is expected that the number will be rapidly augmented. The Carpenters' Union and the Horse-shoers' Union were selected to inaugurate the strike. It is intimated that if the movement be not soon successful a general strike of organized trades may be ordered. This will be a revival of Debsism, with Gompers in the role of dictator, instead of Debs. The latter professes to have "had enough." Gompers evidently has not. But perhaps he, too, may be satisfied before the close of the coming contract.

A mass-meeting is to be held on Tuesday evening next, to protest against the machinations of Huntington and his agents, in and out of Congress, in their efforts to secure an appropriation of public money for the improvement of Huntington's private harbor. It is unnecessary to say that the meeting will be a large and enthusiastic one.

Senator Allison's principal organ, the Iowa State Register, grudgingly admits that Maj. McKinley is the leading candidate, and may have two-fifths of all the votes cast on the first ballot. How kind.

The Spanish newspapers have been telling their readers that it would trouble the United States to put an army of 50,000 men in the field. Deception of this sort is sometimes expensive.

A Philadelphia dispatch says the agents of a Russian patriotic society are in the East hunting for George Krasnov, the czarist general in the plot that resulted in the assassination of Czar Alexander II of Russia in 1881.

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COMING ATTRACTION. To those theater-goers who have shown such an abiding appreciation of Edwin Milton Royle's clever comedy-drama, "Friends," the announcement of the first production here of a second play by the same pen, cannot fail to be of interest. The title of this second dramatic offering is "Capt. Impudence," and is described as a legitimate and picturesque romantic comedy, with the attraction of Royle's first play, "Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday nights, April 7, 8 and 9. In 'Capt. Impudence,' Mr. Royle has been especially happy in the locale of his play, for the Mexican scenes are said to make a brilliant and colorful background for the action. 'Friends' will be given on Friday and Saturday nights.

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EMPLOYEES' TRIBUTE.

Resolutions Adopted by Clerks of the Desiring to express something of the esteem in which they held their late employer, C. W. R. Ford, whose untimely death was referred to yesterday, the employees of the Boston store held a meeting yesterday afternoon, at which resolutions were adopted appropriate to the kindness and consideration he had always shown them. Regret was expressed for his untimely death and sympathy was extended to his bereaved widow and family. It was decided that the employees should attend the funeral in a body. All but three of the 166 members of the clerical force attended the meeting. They will assemble at the funeral, which will be held at 10 o'clock tomorrow morning at a broken shaft seven feet high. It will be composed of white roses, white carnations and white sweet peas, the favorite flowers of the deceased merchant. Thirty-five carriages have been engaged by the employees for the funeral, which occurs at 2:30 p.m. Sunday at Trinity church. Interment will be at Evergreen Cemetery.

CHAMBER OF COMMERCE CONDOLENCE.

A meeting of the board of directors of the Chamber of Commerce, called for the purpose of taking action with regard to the death of C. W. R. Ford, an active and energetic member of the Chamber of Commerce, and a member of the board of directors, was held yesterday afternoon. The board of directors, who were present, were: Charles W. Ford, president; J. F. Griffith, secretary; and J. F. Griffith, secretary. The board of directors, who were present, were: Charles W. Ford, president; J. F. Griffith, secretary; and J. F. Griffith, secretary. The board of directors, who were present, were: Charles W. Ford, president; J. F. Griffith, secretary; and J. F. Griffith, secretary.

BLACK BESS'S MISHAP.

Yesterday was a day of accidents. G. J. Griffith was one to suffer from the day's mishaps. Black Bess, one of his handsome carriage horses, being hopelessly injured. It was in the afternoon, when driving on Spring street that the accident occurred. At Fourth and Spring streets the horse slipped on a street-car track, its entire weight being thrown on its left hind joint. The leg was broken in two places. With the exception of the hind joint, the animal was taken to the Anchor stables, where Veterinary Surgeon Oliver was summoned and made an examination of the injured horse. His opinion was that the horse was a safe, conservative left no ground for hope of the animal's recovery and, reluctantly, Mr. Griffith gave orders that his pet should be put out of his misery.

The span weighed 2500 pounds, and were full brother and sister. Their sire was a champion and a queer colony of injured had trotted in 2:30. They stood at 16½ hands and were the only range team in town. Raised from colts on the coast from near on their way to San Francisco. They have friends in that city, and propose organizing a colony of the northern part of the State, which will be increased in number by further additions from Brazil. The men now in this city will remain for about two weeks, and then will be sent to the river-bottom, near the Santa Fe depot, in charge of a queer colony of black-haired, black-eyed, swarthy men, who, in appearance, resemble natives of Mexico or Spain. There are fifty-five of these men, and they are recent arrivals from Brazil. They speak a dialect which is quite easily understood by those familiar with the Spanish language.

Goodspeed Will Be Contested. An Associated Press dispatch from San Francisco says: "A contest has been announced between the will of Mrs. Lucy C. Goodspeed, who died recently leaving an estate valued at upward of \$25,000. Mrs. Goodspeed contested the will of her husband, Fred C. Goodspeed, and secured most of the money left by her mother. Mrs. Goodspeed died a few months ago, and left her estate to her children, but disinherited her grown children. Today Mrs. Anne A. Stanford, Orville C. Pratt Goodspeed and Jennie Maud Snodgrass filed a contest to the will, alleging that their mother was of unsound mind and incapable of disposing of her estate."

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FIELD OF POLITICS.

The Situation as Seen by Our Washington Correspondent.

McKinley the Only Candidate Who Has Real Strength.

Quay's Recent Outgoing Dissected. No Parallel with 1876—The Bosses' Schemes Not Fanning Out Satisfactorily—Notes.

WASHINGTON, March 28.—(Special Correspondence.) During the past two months I have once a week given the figures of the different States on the Presidential race. The conventions held since my last letter serve but to strengthen McKinley. Pennsylvania is for Quay, New York for Morton, so far as State delegations go, but McKinley has district delegations in each. Massachusetts is for Reed, with a possible defection of two or three delegates to McKinley. Manderson and Davis are out of the race, Cullom practically so, and the field has cleared sufficiently to warrant the belief that the elimination will be made on the first ballot.

The most significant utterance is that of J. H. Manley of Maine, Reed's right-hand man. The Times has already printed his letter, but it could profitably be left standing as an outline of the tactics that will be employed, which are entirely in line with those up-to-date. I therefore repeat the letter as it has a most important bearing upon the situation, and its significance is lost to a cursory reader:

WASHINGTON (D. C.), March 27, 1896. Hon. W. Murray Crane, Republican State Convention, Boston, Mass.: I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 26th inst. and in reply to inform you that the situation as it will stand at the end of this week: At the close of your convention today there will have been 38 delegates to McKinley, 34 to Reed, 22 to Cullom, 12 to Morton, 4 to Senator Allison, 3 to Senator Quay, 2 to Senator Cullom, 12 to Reed, 36. You will see that this gives Mr. McKinley 50 delegates, against 210 anti-McKinley delegates.

The situation is precisely as it was twenty years ago. You will remember that in 1876, when McKinley was elected, we were confident of his nomination. He stood then as the apostle of protection, but he had opposed his nomination. Senator Conkling of New York, Senator Morton of Indiana, Secretary Blount of Kentucky, Gov. Hayes of Ohio, and Gov. Hartranft of Pennsylvania. We felt so sure of Mr. Blaine's nomination that we regarded it as settled, and yet he was defeated in the convention, and the Maine man went down before the Ohio Governor.

History will repeat itself at St. Louis. Gov. McKinley is and will be the leading candidate in the convention, but he will have opposed to him as candidates Gov. Morton of New York, Senator Allison of Iowa, Senator Cullom of Illinois, Senator Hartranft of Pennsylvania, and Mr. Reed of Maine. You will find that the tables will be turned, and the Ohio Governor will go down before the man from Maine. J. H. MANLEY. This is an excellent epitome of the situation, except that McKinley is not the apostle of protection. It is the scheme of retaliation that Maine intends to carry out for the defeat of Blaine in 1876 at Cincinnati that is of greatest national interest. As will be remembered, it was as Mr. Manley states, Blaine had swept almost the entire country before him in spite of the opposition of his own party. He had him by having as many favorite sons as possible in the field. But there was a strong reason in favor of each of these, and the Presidential trust, which had opposed no one. Senator Conkling was next to Blaine, the leader of the Republican party in the United States, and he had contributed his wonderful eloquence and ability to every State in the Union during the campaign. Has Gov. Morton, Pennsylvania, presented the case for the Union? He is a leader in the G. A. R., and at that moment was a popular idol on account of his prompt, energetic action in the Pittsburgh riot of that year. His name was then a household word throughout the Union. He represented the soldiers and the law-abiding element. Senator Quay, whom Pennsylvania presents, stands for nothing and no one except himself and the Pennsylvania ring politicians. He was never connected with any movement or bringing aim into prominence. Senator Morton was almost idolized as the war Governor of Indiana. Benjamin H. Bristow of Kentucky had just completed a most signal service for the nation and the party by breaking up the whisky ring that would have almost impoverished the country and had administered the party under whose administration it existed that it could never have recovered if it had continued. He represented true government reform, and the nation respects nothing but New York; Senator Cullom has nothing to his credit unless it is the Interstate Commerce Bill. Senator Allison is simply a safe, conservative, and a "billion-dollar Congress" to point to, and since his candidacy, the cry of economy. The only man in the field who stands out prominently in connection with any event or principle is McKinley. Twenty years ago each one represented a national party, and each one represented a national party, and each one represented a national party, and each one represented a national party.

But it is another feature of Mr. Manley's comparison that is most interesting. He says that Maine intends to turn the tables on Ohio, which brings up the question as to how Ohio succeeded in defeating Maine's candidate then. As has been stated, all of the men named had strong personal enmities to each other, and each one represented a different party. The doctrine of protection is the leading issue before the American people and no one in the nation so thoroughly embodies and represents that economic principle as the Ohio statesman. This sentiment and preference is a fact, and the fact that McKinley is any better or a more radical protectionist than hundreds of other prominent Republicans, but his name is so closely associated with the tariff law under which the nation prospered as it never prospered before or since. And besides all this, McKinley is in every way a typical American and commands the confidence and admiration not only of Republicans, but of tens of thousands who have heretofore been known as Democrats. The Sun prophesies the nomination of William McKinley on the first ballot, and possibly by acclamation.

Unless All Signs Fail.

(San Bernardino Sun) Unless all political signs fail, William McKinley will be the Republican candidate for President. The doctrine of protection is the leading issue before the American people and no one in the nation so thoroughly embodies and represents that economic principle as the Ohio statesman. This sentiment and preference is a fact, and the fact that McKinley is any better or a more radical protectionist than hundreds of other prominent Republicans, but his name is so closely associated with the tariff law under which the nation prospered as it never prospered before or since. And besides all this, McKinley is in every way a typical American and commands the confidence and admiration not only of Republicans, but of tens of thousands who have heretofore been known as Democrats. The Sun prophesies the nomination of William McKinley on the first ballot, and possibly by acclamation.

Kinley has dropped dead, he may get more votes from him, but the only way to turn the tables is to repeat the performance that proved successful in 1876. Maj. McKinley, Manly's preselection of the delegates before Maine can have any chance of turning the tables on Ohio. While the Democrats are the great party this year, it is by no means without electoral votes, as it was in 1872. Hence it is too painful to hope that Mr. Manly will abandon his idea of trying to have a repetition of the history of 1876. It is too painful to consider tranquilly by Republicans who have the good of the party at heart.

History will repeat itself in so far as that Maj. McKinley, three months before the convention, is stronger than all other candidates, combined, as Mr. Blaine was then. Mr. McKinley will still be stronger when the convention meets, and Mr. Blaine will then, and there the repetition will stop. There will be no putting out of lights, sending of delegates to the convention, and delegates into believing their candidate to be dying.

It might be well as a safeguard, in view of Mr. Manly's preselection of policy, to have him placed under bonds to keep the peace as soon as he arrives at St. Louis; but even this precaution is probably unnecessary, for the great apostle of protection will be carefully looked after, and no attempt to waylay or rob him can be successful. Mr. Manly's effort to force a parallel between 1876 and 1896 as to the number of candidates is absurd. Then each one had strong claims, and Mr. Manly looked in vain for a single claim to be put forth in support of any one of them except Maj. McKinley. Not a single event or principle brought forward that would separate the candidates from the usual row of office-holders. The only one with a military record is Maj. McKinley. The only one who ever fought through to passage a bill of national importance is Maj. McKinley. Each one is a protectionist, and each one is a follower of McKinley. An effort has been made to separate them on the coinage question, but all stand alike on that issue. Mr. Manly has ever been very radical upon that issue, and all practically agree as to what the platform should be. In it, but none have ever done anything for it except McKinley. Their assertions that they are as good protectionists as McKinley, and that they are as faithful followers, but the fact that they follow their leader well is scarcely a valid argument that they should therefore be placed above their leader. The reason there is such an absolute combine among the anti-McKinley candidates is that for the first time in history they represent no principles and consequently differ as to none. There is not enough patriotism about them to stir up animosity. They can not even oppose McKinley very strongly, because he is the exponent of the principles they recognize as sound, and they have never passed enough originality to advance anything new heretofore, all they can do now is to echo what he says, and try to claim recognition of their ability as echoes. FRANK L. WELLES.

Bosses' Schemes Misarranging.

The Washington correspondent of the Cincinnati Times-Star telegraphs his paper as follows, under date of March 28: "Although the Reed managers have been saying all this week that from this time on the canvass of the man from Maine would begin to boom, there has been no perceptible injection of life into what seems to be a collapsed boom. Every effort to start enthusiasm has met with failure. The managers are not in a hurry to begin to boom, but they are giving to the Reed canvass, it has seemed, hard work to keep it even in its old place. There have been a number of schemes to get between the managers of the 'Presidential trust' and all sorts of rumors about combinations between the favorite sons have been full of mischief. No material has come from any of these gatherings, nor do the managers seem to know exactly what to do. The McKinley campaign is going to be run over the inside news from the New York convention, because they know positively that while Mr. Platt may hold New York for McKinley, he will not turn the delegation over solidly to any favorite son, because the McKinley sentiment is so strong that once the name of McKinley is mentioned, they will fly to McKinley. It is just this failure to be able to deliver solid delegations which has wrought great discomfiture to the Presidential trust. The bosses had expected to be able to turn the block of delegates from Illinois, Nebraska and Minnesota over to the McKinley campaign, but they were bitter disappointment that they saw under their very eyes the delegations breaking up and going to McKinley before the favorite sons had even gotten an indorsement. The movement in these States seems to have wrecked Mr. Allison's chances for election, for his managers have been calculating on the States contiguous to Iowa coming to the Senator as second choice. But their swing into line has thrown Ohio into a banner, has thrown Allison's managers out of calculation, and unless Gen. Clarkson's tour of the Far West be more productive than his tour of the West, Mr. Allison will make a lamentable showing on the first ballot at St. Louis. Meanwhile, the McKinley men are rolling along, and adding to their victory every day, and still predicting that their candidate will be nominated on the first ballot."

A Battling Tribute.

(Santa Ana Herald.) Eli Perkins asked Senator Cullom if he had really said anything criticizing McKinley's brain-power, and this is what the Senator is reported to have said: "Perkins, no I haven't, and respect McKinley too much for that. The Democratic boys made that up. But," continued the Senator, "I should like to say one thing about McKinley. If you should take the smallest hair on McKinley's head, punch the pit of his stomach with the little end of a pin, and then ram it into all the brains of Grover Cleveland and his entire Cabinet, and the brains of all the Democratic boys, and then shake that hair, it would rattle. That is my simple opinion."

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ready to "sweep the country" once more with the mouth of Taubert of Illinois, who seems to be the kingpin of the aggregation, has already announced that his party would carry every State west of the Mississippi, and would have a great fighting show all over the country. We have heard just that kind of blarney before, and that is all it ever amounted to. If the Populist party wins any distinction in the coming campaign, it will be in the capacity of second fiddle to the Republican band-wagon, and the fact that it will do that cut-out act conclusively, makes its claims and pretensions only the more ridiculous.

Florida's Preferences.

Judge J. C. Long, a member of the Republican National Committee, who is now in Washington, is a most enthusiastic McKinley man. He is a delegate-at-large from Florida to the St. Louis convention. The delegates from that State, he says, have agreed that Ohio statesman "clear through." He says the methods adopted by the anti-McKinley combination in Florida caused much bitterness, and will affect the splendid chances of Republican success on the full State and Congressional tickets of this year. He says that, if left alone without outside interference, would be as solid for McKinley at St. Louis as New England will be for Reed. As it is, McKinley will get more than two-thirds of the delegations from that section.

Campaign Crambs.

An easy sum in addition: Republican success plus Protection equals High Wages. (Phoenix, Ariz., Republican.) The Olney Presidential boom has evidently stubbed its toe. The search for Democratic candidates this fall indicates that the martyr business is not very brisk. (Monrovia Messenger.) Stranger things might happen than the nomination of McKinley by acclamation. (Chicago Times-Herald.) It would be interesting to know just what Mr. Cullom thinks of himself in view of the political situation. (Mexico City Herald.) Thomas Tamm Platt complains that he can't hear himself sing for the calicoen roar from McKinley's band-wagon. The political machine seems to be getting within hailing distance of the fact that Presidents and Presidential candidates are not made in the cloakrooms taken to Washington. (Chicago Times-Herald.) The news from Pennsylvania indicates that Mr. Quay's mailed hand is not able to reach all of the delegates that are engaged in getting out from under his Presidential boom. (Phoenix Gazette.) Gov. Morton will carry the New York delegation to St. Louis, but it won't require Roentgen rays to find McKinley looming up strongly in the background. At the Farmers' Institute in Cotton Thursday, at the mention of the name of McKinley, the audience broke into a storm of applause, very suggestive of the political preferences of the large number of orange-growers and others there present.

THIS DATE IN HISTORY.

A Daily Resume of Events for Your Scrap Book. On April 4 of the years named occurred the following important events in the world's history:

- 1492—Columbus discovered America.
- 1564—John Jacob Astor, English divine.
- 1792—Thaddeus Stevens.
- 1800—Pope Pius VI. DEATHS.
- 1824—Sir Robert Naughton.
- 1843—Robert Alnworth (Latin Dictator).
- 1862—Lord Lloyd Kenyon, Lord Chief Justice of England.
- 1867—Andrew Johnson, Duke of Rivoli, Marshal of France.
- 1868—President William H. Harrison, Washington.
- 1861—Associate Justice John McLean, Cincinnati.
- 1870—Edward H. Thayer, comedian, Philadelphia.
- 1873—Thomas C. Devin, New York.
- 1878—Miss Patterson Bonaparte, Baltimore.
- 1882—Peter Clark, Baltimore.
- 1888—James L. Little, surgeon, professor, New York.
- 1887—Catherine Wolfe, richest single woman in the world, New York.
- 1888—Ex-Army General Benj. H. Brewster.
- 1889—Henry Hall, historian, Rutland, Vt.
- 1892—John G. Thompson, Baltimore.
- 1895—Ex-Gov. William H. Marshall, of Minnesota.
- 1900—Other EVENTS.
- 1900—Henry Hudson sailed in search of north-east passage.
- 1907—"Kaiser" organized in North Carolina.
- 1777—Lafayette left France for America.
- 1812—Catherine the Great, Empress of Russia.
- 1813—National flag remodeled to contain thirteen stars and stripes.
- 1818—"Young America" held great meeting in Dublin.
- 1863—Siege of Fort Pemberton, Miss., raised by the Federals.
- 1864—New York Sanitary Fair opened.
- 1865—Steamer Harriet DeFord captured by disguised rebels at Fairhaven, Md.
- 1867—United States House, burned; loss, \$1,000,000.
- 1870—Trial of Dan McFarland for the murder of A. D. Richardson begun in New York.
- 1874—French transatlantic steamer L'Europe abandoned at sea.
- 1874—Four persons burned alive in Mexico for opium.
- 1883—Judge Gresham appointed Postmaster-General.
- 1883—John G. Thompson, Baltimore.
- 1885—Thirty persons drowned by the foundering of a steamer Marquette in the Sea of Azov.
- 1887—Five negroes lynched for murder in Yorkville, S. C.
- 1887—440,000 worth of lumber burned in Morgantown.
- 1887—Strike of 6,000 carpenters in Chicago.
- 1887—Journalists excluded from the Cortes in Spain.
- 1887—Great Britain demanded \$1,000,000 from Hayti in

THE WEATHER.

DAILY BULLETIN.

U. S. WEATHER BUREAU, Los Angeles, April 3.—At 6 o'clock a.m. the barometer registered 30.07; at 5 p.m., 30.01. Thermometer for the corresponding hours showed 49 deg. and 61 deg. Relative humidity, 5 a.m., 86; 5 p.m., 71. Wind, 5 a.m., east, velocity 3 miles; 5 p.m., west, velocity 6 miles. Maximum temperature, 63 deg.; minimum temperature, 45 deg. Character of weather, clear. Barometer reduced to sea level.

U. S. DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE WEATHER BUREAU, Reports received at Los Angeles, Cal., on April 3, 1896. GEORGE E. FRANKLIN, Observer. Observations taken at all stations at 5 p.m., 7th meridian time.

Place of Observation.	Bar.	Ther.	Wind.	Rel. Hum.	Clouds.
Los Angeles, clear	30.00	60	0	80	0
San Diego, clear	30.02	60	0	80	0
San Luis Obispo, clear	30.00	60	0	80	0
Pasadena, clear	30.02	60	0	80	0
San Francisco, clear	30.02	60	0	80	0
Bureau, rain	30.02	60	0	80	0
Portland, clear	30.02	60	0	80	0

The Times

ALL ALONG THE LINE.

Members of the senior class of the Ventura High School absented themselves from school Wednesday, April 1, and the question now is, did they go fishing? If they did they will have the sympathy of every man and boy in the county. If they played hooky, in the hope of April fooling their teachers they should, and undoubtedly will, be disciplined.

The Board of Public Works yesterday made a neat shift of the merchants' petition for a hitching ordinance by recommending that another committee tackle the matter. This disinclination on the part of the board members to handle what is admitted to be a delicate matter, reflects great credit on their shrewdness, but only an infinitesimal amount on their backbone.

Sensational is that suit instituted in Riverside for the annulment of a mortgage alleged to have been given without proper consideration. The public looks with some interest at the skeleton in being exploited. Human frailty seems capable of anything. The gossip-mongers thrive on all such sordid, bits of family history. Better would it be if the making of skeletons could become a lost art, and men could be made to perform their duties to society and their families without the lash of public opinion or exposure of their shortcomings.

It seems impossible that a man who was really insane could display the power in logical argument and discriminating examination of witnesses that Judge Hughes possesses, as shown in the proceedings at San Bernardino yesterday. While it is true, no man is clear for all the fifteen years during which he has been incarcerated in insane asylums he has been in perfect possession of his mental faculties. It is certainly plain that he is capable of attending to his affairs now in a much better manner than the ordinary citizen. It is to be hoped that his release will be ordered.

Quietly, but none the less earnestly, the work of collecting money subscriptions for the big Adams-street hotel has been pushed for the last month, until the progress made is such that the managers of the enterprise affirm with confidence their belief that in thirty days the entire amount necessary to be raised will have been subscribed and collected. This is encouraging, and important. There has been so much of mere talk and twaddle, in connection with these "big hotel schemes," and so little of hard work produced, that a reversal of the conditions will be eminently satisfactory to the Los Angeles public.

THE INNOCENT SUFFER.

The Havoc Wrought by a Runaway Horse.

There was a runaway accident yesterday, in which, by an irony of fate, the runaway horses, with their wagon and driver, escaped with little injury, while calm and peaceful people suffered serious harm.

Yesterday afternoon a teamster named Jones turned his horses, which were attached to a lumber wagon, south on Grand avenue. The team took fright at a passing car and started to run. Jones was sitting in a box. The sudden jerk knocked his unsteady seat from under him and sent him sprawling on the ground.

The runaway horses tore south on Grand avenue at a tremendous pace. Another lumber wagon, occupied by C. Benedict and his son, was in the way of their wild flight. There was sudden shock and crash; Mr. Benedict, Sr., was thrown from the wagon; his arm and hip were severely bruised and he was badly shaken up. The heavy wheels of Jones's wagon passed over the body of one of Benedict's horses. The poor animal's back was broken. Her injuries were so great as to cause her death.

The runaway team completed its work of destruction by tearing up the grocery store of William L. Hines, at the corner of Twelfth and Olive streets. They smashed right against the double doors of the store, and with which they came in contact. It caused a loss of about \$60 to the groceryman.

Mr. Benedict was taken to his home at the corner of Fourteenth street and Central avenue. The killed horse was valued at \$70.

A Senseless Prank.

Some one played an idiotic practical joke last night that deserves punishment. Shortly after 10:30 o'clock an alarm was rung in from box No. 34. The engines and hose carts from several different engine-houses went hurrying to the spot—the corner of Buena Vista and College street—and lo and behold there was no fire at all. But the fellow who played the senseless prank left a clue to his identity. Once inserted in the keyhole of the alarm box, the key was found to be a key to the names of all persons to whom keys are issued, with the number of the key. Thus can be found to whom this particular key belongs, and that man will have to explain how it got into the fire alarm box keyhole.

Refused Its Confidence.

PARIS, April 3.—The Senate today, by a vote of 155 to 85, adopted the following resolution: "The Senate, noting the declaration of the government that it cannot add to its explanations of Tuesday (on the Egyptian question), and considering these explanations insufficient, refuses it a vote of confidence." The Senate adjourned until April 21. The ministers met to discuss the situation.

PANNY DAVENPORT has made a hit with "Diamonds." So does every cook who uses Dr. Price's Baking Powder.

NEW HARBOR SCHEME.

TRICK TO DECEIVE THE PEOPLE OF LOS ANGELES.

Free Harbor League Detects the Joker in the Proposition to Unite Both Projects—Guarantee Thrown Down to California Congressmen.

The following telegram was received yesterday by President Patterson of the Chamber of Commerce from Congressman McLachlan:

WASHINGTON, April 3.—W. C. Patterson, President, Chamber of Commerce, Los Angeles, Cal.: Hermann requests me to notify the Los Angeles Chamber of Commerce that if the Los Angeles people will unite on the scheme to complete the inside harbor at San Pedro and to construct a deep-sea harbor at Santa Monica with a provision to admit all railroads to Santa Monica harbor over the Southern Pacific tracks by paying the pro-rata cost, to be determined by the Secretary of Ways and Means \$3,000,000 can be procured at this session for said projects. To be effectual action must be taken at once. I leave the matter with you.

(Signed) JAMES M'LACHLAN.

At a largely-attended meeting of the Free Harbor League later in the day, the telegram from Mr. McLachlan was read and speeches based thereon were made by Judge Stephens, Mr. Newberry, Gen. Forman, Mr. Woolwine, Col. Otis, Mr. Gibson and others. The proposition was denounced as a trick to induce the people of Southern California to change their views with respect to Mr. Huntington's attempt to monopolize the harbor facilities to be provided by Congress.

Attention was called to the fact that extensive improvements at Santa Monica had been reported against by the government engineers, but it was urged that should this telegram induce the business men of Los Angeles to abandon their opposition to Mr. Huntington's harbor the change of attitude would be used in future Congresses to urge appropriations for Santa Monica.

It was stated that Senator White had said, when the committee was in Washington, if San Pedro should be put on the appropriation bill for any amount he could probably increase the estimate in the Senate to the full amount desired for the inner harbor.

Mr. McLachlan's telegram that the \$50,000 appropriation recommended by the committee for San Pedro would probably be increased in the Senate was referred to in confirmation of Senator White's statement, as showing the present plan of the California delegation in Congress.

The universal sentiment expressed was that any abandonment of San Pedro for Santa Monica meant the absolute loss of adequate harbor facilities for this vicinity in future.

As embodying the opinions of the Free Harbor League, the following telegram was forwarded to Washington: LOS ANGELES (Cal.), April 3, 1896. H. W. B. Hooker, chairman of the Rivers and Harbors Committee, Washington, D. C.: At a largely-attended meeting of the Free Harbor League this afternoon a telegram from Mr. McLachlan was read, saying if the people here would consent, your committee would probably appropriate the sum asked for the San Pedro inner harbor, and the full amount necessary to complete a deep-water harbor at Santa Monica. The league wired Mr. McLachlan as follows:

"Your telegram to Patterson was shown to the league. The people of Los Angeles have already passed upon the harbor question, deciding emphatically in favor of San Pedro. We oppose all attempts to defeat the public will thus expressed, and reaffirm adherence to the government site approved by the government engineers. The overt move is a deception. If you will oppose the double scheme and work in the open House for both appropriations for San Pedro, you will meet the popular wish and fulfill your pledges."

We desire to say to you as chairman of the committee that the foregoing sent to Mr. McLachlan expresses the sentiment of the people here.

FREE HARBOR LEAGUE.

By H. G. OTIS, Chairman.
W. D. WOOLWINE, Secretary.

The dispatch alluded to as having been sent to Mr. McLachlan was as follows:

LOS ANGELES (Cal.), April 3, 1896. Hon. W. C. Patterson, House of Representatives, Washington, D. C.: At a largely-attended meeting of the Free Harbor League this afternoon your telegram to President Patterson was read, and the following resolutions were unanimously adopted and instructed to be wired to you:

"The people of Los Angeles have already passed upon the harbor question, deciding emphatically in favor of San Pedro. We oppose all attempts to defeat the public will thus expressed, and reaffirm adherence to the government site, approved by the government engineers. The overt move is a deception. If you will oppose the double scheme and work in the open House for both appropriations for San Pedro, you will meet the popular wish and fulfill your pledges."

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W. D. WOOLWINE, Secretary.

MUST BE REGULAR.

Special Meeting of the Chamber of Commerce.

Following is given some interesting correspondence, which is self-explanatory:

LOS ANGELES, Cal., April 3, 1896. W. C. Patterson, President Los Angeles Chamber of Commerce—Dear Sir: The undersigned members of the Los Angeles Chamber of Commerce respectfully request that under section 8, article 10 of the by-laws, you call a special meeting of the members for Wednesday, April 8, for the purpose of submitting by vote to such members the matters involved in the proposed Congressional appropriation to San Pedro and Santa Monica as per telegram, which reads as follows:

"Hermann requests me to notify the Los Angeles Chamber of Commerce that if Los Angeles people will unite schemes to complete inside harbor at San Pedro and construct deep-sea harbor at Santa Monica with provision to admit all railroads to Santa Monica harbor over Southern Pacific track, by paying pro-rata cost to be determined by Secretary of Ways and Means at \$3,000,000 can be procured this session for said projects. To be effectual action must be taken. I leave matter with you."

(Signed) "JAMES M'LACHLAN."

As to whether the members favor appropriations by Congress for both or either of said harbors, as Congress may deem best:

(Signed) R. M. WIDNEY,
H. G. WEYSE,
L. L. ELLIOTT,
F. Q. STORY,
A. JACOBY.

C. D. Willard, Secretary Los Angeles Chamber of Commerce: By virtue of authority vested in me by article 17, sec. 3, of the by-laws, you are hereby directed to call a meeting of the Chamber of Commerce at the assembly room of the Chamber of Commerce at 1 p.m. on Wednesday, April 8, 1896, to consider matters mentioned in the foregoing call. Yours very truly,

(Signed) W. C. PATTERSON.

LOS ANGELES, Cal., April 3, 1896. W. C. Patterson, Esq., president Los Angeles Chamber of Commerce—Dear Sir: I have your communication of April 3 instructing me to issue an official call for a meeting of the members of the chamber, to consider the

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harbor location question, as affected by Mr. McLachlan's recent telegram.

I note that you have set for the date of this meeting, April 8. I beg to call your attention to the provision of the constitution, Art. XVII, sec. 4, which says (after half) "Nor shall any resolution be considered or acted upon (at any meeting of the chamber) except with the unanimous consent of the members present, unless they have first been submitted to the appropriate committee."

My attention is called to this section by several members of the chamber, who have announced their intention to enter a protest at the time of the meeting at any hasty action of the chamber.

It would, therefore, appear that the proposed meeting would be of no avail either way, as far as obtaining an expression from the chamber is concerned. I would respectfully suggest that further time be taken, and the meeting be called in entire accordance with the constitutional provisions, and the precedents by which the Chamber of Commerce is governed, to-wit: That the matter to be considered be referred to the appropriate committee, and that this committee tender a report which can in turn be submitted to the members. The expense and trouble of calling the meeting will certainly go for naught, if the requirements of the constitution are not complied with, and I, therefore, respectfully ask you to reconsider your instructions to me.

Very respectfully yours,
C. D. WILLARD, Secretary.

LOS ANGELES (Cal.) April 3, 1896. R. M. Widney and others—Gentlemen: My attention having been called to article XVII, sec. 4, I can safely assume that the "unanimous consent" cannot be secured. I suggest, therefore, that such resolutions as you would desire acted upon by the chamber be submitted to the committee, and that the meeting will certainly go for naught, if the requirements of the constitution are not complied with, and I, therefore, respectfully ask you to reconsider your instructions to me.

A Harbor Mass-meeting.

Today a committee named at the meeting of the league yesterday for the purpose, will arrange the details of a public free-harbor meeting, to be held next Tuesday evening. The details will be announced fully in The Times tomorrow.

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Tonight the great crystal front, with the gold and ivory decorations, will be brilliantly illuminated. The new signs in gold and copper will be in place. The windows will be specially trimmed for the occasion. The silhouette artist will be in front with his brilliant smile and his most wonderful art. The art gallery will be in full bloom all day and up till 9 o'clock; Mount Shasta and other works of art will be on free exhibition. There is no other artist the equal of Prof. Straight in depicting the wonderful fire scenes. Come in today and get acquainted with the two professors.

The new millinery department is now showing new goods in the greatest quantities. A special exhibit of new Easter Hats and Bonnets will be on display today. We will offer Sailors today at special prices. The new Dresden Ribbons, the fancy Dresden Colored flowers; the new shapes in hats will fascinate the ladies and the prices will be very low to introduce the new improvements.

Ladies' Separate Skirts and Shirt Waists are on the second floor along with the new Capes and Dresses.

Shirt Waists in the latest styles, 75c and \$1. Separate Skirts \$3.50 and \$5. Ladies' fine Serge Suits in black and navy \$8. Ladies' new Capes \$3, \$5 and \$6. You will be surprised at the quality.

Take a look at the Silk Department. More than three times the quantity ever displayed in this house. Three great prices for values 50c, 75c and \$1. Large lines and all new styles at these prices. They show off brilliantly under the vastly improved appearance of the store. If you buy Silks you want Laces and Ribbons for trimmings. You will need the narrow spangled trimmings. They come in the Dresden colors to match the shades in the Silks. We are making a special display of Plaids in choice new colorings. They are works of art. Plaid Silks for waists \$1.25 a yard.

New Easter Gloves and Belts.
White Silk Parasols \$1, \$1.50 and \$2. Royal Worcester Corsets \$1, \$1.25, \$1.50 and \$2 for special values. The new Dresden Corset \$1.25.

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Just Arrived—

500 dozen Brooms, for our GREAT SPECIAL SALE, which takes place

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As often as they need it. If they are wise, they'll use their eyes. And see the ad. and read it.

—Springfield Times.

Volmer's Saturday special sale. No. 116 South Spring street, near First. We have not the time to enumerate all the bargains we offer to you for Easter. Give us a call. Bargain No. 1, 1000 Easter eggs, decorated in gold, assorted colors, silk cord, 15 cents each; bargain No. 2, 100 dozen underglaze French cups and saucers, decorated in violet and gold, 75 cents set of 6 cups and saucers; bargain No. 3, 100 dozen underglaze French cups and saucers, decorated in violet and gold, 75 cents set of 6 cups and saucers; bargain No. 4, underglaze French bowls, decorated in violet and gold, 9 cents each; bargain No. 5, 1000 underglaze French plates, large size, decorated in violet and gold, 10 cents each; bargain No. 6, 1000 underglaze French sauce plates, decorated in violet and gold, 6 cents each. Store open until 9:30 p.m.

Good morning. Glad Easter has come! Your enjoyment of the season will be increased if you give yourself the satisfaction of a glance at Desmond's stock of Easter hats, neckwear, gloves, collars, cuffs, etc., etc. You'll see what you want, and you'll want what you see in a way that'll make buying the only solution of the problem. The temptations Desmond offers makes buying almost compulsory. That's why Desmond, in the Bryson Block, No. 141 South Spring street, is always packed heavily on showings. His goods and prices emphasize each other. Here's persuasion for you. Regular 75 cent neckwear today for 50 cents; stacks of good ties for 25 cents, and strictly up-to-date hats (soft and stiff), from \$1 up to \$5.

Desmond's Easter greetings to all. May joy be permanent! Just to help make it so he is offering his stock of hats, shirts, neckwear, collars, cuffs, etc., at smile-provoking prices. The goods are just what they should be at Easter. Desmond counts on his short prices to keep business brisk, and he doesn't count in vain. When you see how much you get for a small price and what a small price you pay for so much you can't help buying all your hats and furnishings at Desmond's. No. 141 S. Spring street, in the Bryson Block, 7 p.m., advanced second year class, Tuesday 7 p.m., advanced first year class, Friday, 7 p.m., beginning class.

Why be crowded during fests? At Hotel San Gabriel, only twenty minutes out, you can get lovely rooms from \$10 per week up. April is the loveliest month of the year and Hotel San Gabriel the loveliest spot in the county. H. R. Warner, manager.

"The Injustice of Chivalry" is the singular topic of Rev. Anna Shaw's lecture at the Simpson Tabernacle tonight. Eloquence, wit, eloquence and logic will be the stimulating ingredients. Don't miss it. Tickets 25 cents.

Special Easter services at the First Congregational Church on Sunday morning. Music and sermon appropriate to the occasion. Pastor, Warren F. Day, D.D. Twelfth communion at 5:30 p.m. No evening service.

For Rent—Fine, well-lighted room in third story of Times Building. Also, large rear room, suitable for society hall. Elevator to be installed. Times Building, basement.

An attractive musical programme has been arranged for the special Easter service at the Y.W.C.A., No. 107 North Spring street. The Goodwin Bros. will participate, 3:45 p.m.

The Café Vincent opens Saturday under the management of W. M. Ward, the well-known caterer. Dinner 5 p.m. No. 617 South Broadway.

Fifty cents round trip on Terminal Railway to Long Beach and San Pedro Good going Saturday and Sunday, returning Monday.

A sectional map of the five southern counties of California given free with each prepaid yearly subscription to The Daily Times.

The remains of Carl Karmpt were removed from Redondo yesterday by C. D. Howry and interred in Rosedale cemetery, April 4.

First Baptist Church. Sunday morning, preaching, Mr. Garnett; evening, Dr. Read.

Eastern and California oysters on shell, 50c dozen, Hollenbeck Hotel Café. Don't miss Rev. Anna Shaw's lecture tonight at the Simpson auditorium.

The United States Federal courts were not in session yesterday.

Over 500 round-trip tickets to Santa Monica were sold Thursday, in addition to the local fare for collectors.

Mrs. Longstreet of Boyle Heights and Mrs. W. S. Livingston both sent in flowers to the Chamber of Commerce yesterday.

A meeting of the Medical Association of Los Angeles was held last evening in the art gallery of the Chamber of Commerce.

Bishop Montgomery will open the fair for the Sisters of Mercy at Turner Hall on Tuesday, April 7, when an elaborate concert will be given.

There are undelivered telegrams in the Western Union telegraph office for: C. C. Gee, A. R. Anderson, F. J. Kennedy, George A. Davis and J. A. Chambers.

The Orphans' Home Sunday-school, corner Alpine and Yale streets, will observe Easter Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Friends of the school are invited.

A negro boy named Johnnie Cunningham was caught stealing bananas yesterday afternoon by Officer Arguello. The policeman booked him for petty larceny.

A grand balloon ascension and parachute jump by the famous aeronaut, Prof. Richard Earlston, will take place at Westlake Park from the Wilshire Boulevard tract Sunday afternoon.

Robert Mack, a man accused of robbing the Southern Pacific Company uptown office at San Pedro, was brought to the County Jail yesterday by Constable Matthews of Wilmington, to stand his trial.

Sidney Barnett, the young man who was struck by a falling crown-pulley Wednesday afternoon, was yesterday taken to the County Hospital. His father and brother live together bachelor-fashion, so he cannot be given the attention he needs at his home.

Travel on the street railroads was incommoded by two accidents yesterday. The first was before 5:30 o'clock, when a Westlake car jumped the track at Arnold street. The second was yesterday afternoon, when a University car got off the track on Spring street near First.

Last Tuesday Justice Morrison gave John Dunn a sixty-day sentence for vagrancy, but gave him a chance to get out of town. Dunn neglected his opportunity. Officer Walker found him

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on Commercial street at 10 o'clock yesterday morning and promptly sent him to the City Jail to serve out his sentence.

Detective Goodman has been asked by the landlady of the Mitchell Hotel at Pasadena to see if he can find any trace of a pseudo-newspaperman named Ritch, who has disappeared, leaving a two-months' board bill unpaid. He has left his trunk in the hotel, but the landlady fears it will not compensate her for the loss she has suffered.

PERSONALS.

H. B. Wilson of Redlands is registered at the Hollenbeck Hotel. F. F. Keller, a well-known mining man of Butte, Mont., is a guest at the Nadeau.

Robert R. Bishop, Jr., a wealthy tourist from Boston, is located at the Hollenbeck.

J. C. Williams, a member of one of New York's big firms, is staying at the Nadeau.

Harry M. Gillis, late of Sacramento and now of New York, is a guest at the Westminster.

William H. Dyer, a prominent business man of Providence, R. I., is staying at the Nadeau.

Dr. H. M. Comer and mother have returned from San Francisco and are stopping at Hotel Broadway.

R. E. Warner, a dry goods merchant of Boston, accompanied by Mrs. Warner, is located at the Hollenbeck.

C. M. Hill, general manager of the Windsor Hotel at Denver, accompanied by his wife and son, is staying at the Hollenbeck.

Mrs. E. J. Brown, Sibley Brown, Mrs. S. E. Jordan, Howell Brown and B. C. Brown, tourists from Little Rock, Ark., are registered at the Nadeau.

Thomas L. Bean, J. H. Mitchell, Denver, Col., J. B. Chapman, Sacramento, J. B. Chapman, San Francisco, and Thomas La Fayette, Chicago, are at the Ramona.

Langdon Held for Trial.

PHILADELPHIA, April 3.—Upon the finding of the coroner's jury in the case of Annie McGrath, Samuel P. Langdon was today held for the action of the grand jury. Langdon and Miss McGrath had been living as man and wife. The latter was discovered dead on March 28. Langdon was present at the inquest, but evinced little interest in the proceedings.

Col. Naft Safe.

MINNEAPOLIS, April 3.—A special to the Journal from Crookston says that Col. A. F. Naft, United States Inspector, reported drowned yesterday on the Canadian boundary, has returned to that city. All the party broke through the ice in Rainy River and, with the exception of Naft and a United States deputy marshal, enroute. These two escaped and secured horses, on which they reached civilization.

POINTDEXTER & WADSWORTH will sell at auction, in addition to the Pico land advertised by them, several other tracts in the vicinity, which will be sold in one and two-acre pieces. This auction of Calhoun Valley land will be largely attended, and will afford an excellent opportunity to buy in tracts to suit from one acre up. The land will be sold on the premises on Saturday, April 4, at 12 o'clock. Parties who desire to attend can take the Santa Monica electric line, getting off at the power-house at the new town of Sherman. A lunch will be served.

IMPORTANT NOTICE. The Calhoun Valley land sale so extensively advertised will positively be held on Saturday, April 4, at 12 o'clock, on the ground. The enterprising firm which has this sale in charge has secured three other very choice pieces, which will also be offered at auction at this sale, in lots of one acre upward. There has never been a finer opportunity to secure a lovely suburban home at small cost. Take the Santa Monica electric car Saturday morning, get a nice lunch at the sale, and buy a piece of land in the famous frostless belt. See Pointdexter & Wadsworth about it. No. 305 West Second street.

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Licensed to Wed. Theodore C. Forbes, aged 39, a native of Indiana, and Sue Kilian, aged 32, a native of Georgia, both residents of Monrovia.

Lloyd Harlow, aged 26, a native of Michigan and a resident of Howard Summit, and Edith Smith, aged 18, a native and resident of Leslie, Ingham county, Mich.

William E. Bailey, aged 25, a native of Missouri, and May Evans, aged 26, a native of Wales, both residents of Los Angeles.

DEATH RECORD.

RICHARDSON.—In this city, on April 3, Charles Milton Richardson, aged 57. Funeral from Boyle Heights Presbyterian Church, Sunday at 2 p.m.

ALLEN.—Friday morning, April 3, William Jerome Allen, aged 52 years, beloved son of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Allen, at the family residence, No. 312 W. Twenty-third street. Notice of funeral tomorrow.

NOLLE.—In this city, April 3, 1896, William C. Nolle, a native of Ohio, aged 58 years. Funeral from the family residence, No. 220 West Tenth street, at 2:30 p.m. today (Saturday). Friends invited to attend. All Old Fellows will meet at the Hall, 2204 S. Main street, at 1:30 p.m. By order of General Relief Committee.

PHIL ROYER. Secy. NOLLE.—In this city, Friday morning, April 3, 1896, William C. Nolle, aged 58 years, leaving a widow, Ellen P., and two sons, Ivory B. and George O. Funeral from residence, No. 220 West Tenth street, Saturday, April 4, 2:30 p.m. (Sunday). Friends invited to attend. All Old Fellows will meet at the Hall, 2204 S. Main street, at 1:30 p.m. By order of General Relief Committee.

MOORING hats and bonnets rented; no charge to customers. Zebell, 215 S. Spring.

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About the time the special sale stores reduce prices they get them somewhere near our "every-day" standard, but it's easier to knock off on a high price than it is to build up a low quality—talk and red paint won't make a shoe fit if it lacks the shape—or wear if it lacks the quality—You've got to go where the shoes are right in the first place—One store with right shoes is Godin's—Yes, RIGHT or your money back.

Plenty of the shoe sorts you'll need for tomorrow and the other days just beyond.

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No matter what the demand is we've plenty of trimmers to work for you. Plenty of the Shapes and Flowers. Ornaments and Ribbons at "Cut Rates." You pick out the Hat and Trimmings—the rest is quick enough—cheap enough.

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In the newest, prettiest, nobbiest
Women's Fine Footwear.

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Easter Novelties
In the very latest exclusive styles in
Boys' Fine Clothing.

Easter Millinery Is Paramount

At The People's Store today. No other display in this city is one-half so brilliant, and nowhere will you find the prices so favorable. We thought last year the Millinery sales had reached the limit, but a double business has opened the eyes of millinery sellers all about the town.

Exceptional Values for Saturday's Buyers.

Just the very little things every woman needs to complete the Easter toilet. No store is so well provided with small wares as we. Perhaps you'll find a quarter saving in the prices.

Easter Parasols.

Easter Black Parasols.
Ladies' Black Carriage Parasols, Gloria silk, ribbed frame and ball or crook embellished handles, for only.....**50c**

Easter Silk Sunshades.
An immense line of Black Silk Sunshades, 34 inches, novelty, crooked and fancy handles, for.....**\$1.00 to \$2.50**

Easter Japanese Parasols.
Fancy Japanese and Pongee Parasols, in printed designs, plain fancy borders, white enameled Dresden and natural sticks.....**\$2.00 to \$2.50**

Easter Notions.
Ladies' Gold Belts in the latest fashionable width.....**25c**

Easter Sash Ribbons.
New Silk Sash Ribbons, pink and shades of blue.....**25c**

Easter Shopping Bags.
Ladies' handsome Shopping Bags in just the latest fashions, from.....**25c**

Easter Handkerchiefs.
Special inducements in Swiss Embroidered Handkerchiefs, Irish point and scalloped edges, from.....**25c**

Easter Waist Sets.
Ladies' elegant sets, including 3 shirt waists, collar and cut buttons.....**25c**

Easter Gauze.
Elegant tulle-trimmed Gauze, 18 inches broad in all the stylish evening shades, for the yard.....**65c**

Easter Suits.

Easter Cloth Suits.
Ladies' Novelty and plain Cloth Serge and Cheviot Suits, the grandest line ever shown for.....**\$3.00 to \$25.00**

Easter Duck Suits.
Misses' Duck Suits, in all the new duck colorings and patterns, very latest styles, for.....**\$1.75 to \$3.50**

Easter Hose—Underwear.
Ladies' plain or ribbed ribbed hose, with or without English white feet, Hermo dory.....**25c**

Ingrain Hose.
Ingrain Fast Black Hose, with black or white feet, an excellent value as good as usual 50c kinds, for.....**35c**

Easter Novelty Hose.
Just in by express for the great Easter rush, a little late, but they go for less than had they been on time.....**50c**

Chenille Portieres.
Every color, every shade, every pattern, and they hang on the lowest rod of low prices, fringed tops, dadd bottoms, in red, olive, fawn, blue, terra cotta and gold, bought to sell for \$3.50, \$4.50 and \$6; this morning they will be priced at.....**\$2.00 and \$4.00**

Easter Gloves.
La Cigale Kid Gloves. The best Glove for the price ever offered in the town, all colors and black.....**\$1.00**

La Mazeno Kid Gloves.
Not a dress nor a hat that cannot be matched in this elegant glove; we keep them cleaned and repaired free of charge as long as they last.....**\$1.50**

Easter Wash Goods.

Easter Wash Novelties.
Some 1000 pieces of the newest wash novelties you've ever seen and at surprisingly low prices, 85c, 90c, 125c.....**15c**

Easter Silk Stripe Plaids.
A most beautiful assortment of new silk stripe plaid dress goods for fancy waists and children's dresses.....**15c**

Easter Silks.
Easter Printed Silks. A grand array of fancy printed Dresden and Oriental designs in beautiful colorings, for only.....**50c**

Easter Taffetas.
Real printed warp taffetas in new and elegant colorings, usual \$1.50 quantities, for only.....**\$1.00**

Easter Waists.
Easter Silk Waists. Latest in black and fancy effects, designed and made in the late April fashions, for.....**\$3.50 to \$25.00**

Easter Wash Waists.
Novelties that never have before been shown, in every color and best styles, for.....**50c to \$2.50**

Downstairs.
Mrs. Potts's polishing iron, set of 3, nickel-plated, including holder and handle, set.....**88c**

Extra quality
Rural and gold-striped capridors, Palmer cloth, woven hammocks with pillow.....**45c to \$2.50**

Easter Toilet Articles.

Easter Toilet Waters.
Eight-oz. bottle Verbena, Lavender, Violet and Extra Cologne, same purity and strength as 75c kinds, for.....**50c**

Imported Rose Water
and Toilet Glycerine, 8-oz. bottle for.....**25c**

Lake's Triple Extract
in all the French perfume odors, as fine as is made, per oz.....**25c**

Hance's Antiseptic
Dentifrice. Preserves the teeth.....**25c**

Crown Perfumery
Company's Extracts, all odors, per oz.....**50c**

Pinaud's Quadruple
Extracts, all scents, 2-oz. bottle.....**\$1.00**

La Cigale
Extract; the odors made: per oz.....**50c**

Almond Cold Cream
jar.....**25c**

Cherry Tooth Paste
tube.....**25c**

Dr. Koch's Hirsutine
8-oz. bottle Eau de Cologne.....**50c**

Milk of Almond Toilet Preparation
8-oz. bottle.....**50c**

Art Carpets.
The stock has arrived, and it is the handsomest ever shown in the town. Better see such qualities for such small prices.

Size 7 ft. 4 in. by 9, worth \$4, for.....**\$3.25**

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Size 10 ft. 6 in. by 14, worth \$7, for.....**\$4.50**

Size 12 ft. 6 in. by 16, worth \$8, for.....**\$5.00**

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On the Plains in the Sixties.
CY WARMAN, whose railroad sketches are so deservedly popular, gives the first of a series of Frontier Sketches. This first sketch recounts the details of an Indian fight, in the progress of which a brave young lieutenant went mad through excitement, believing himself seriously wounded, although he was entirely unhurt. The story, which is a true one, is exceedingly pathetic, and the lieutenant is still in a demented condition, although more than thirty years have passed away.

An Easter Story.
By LIDA ROSE MCGARR.
A slight and dainty sketch which appeals to the sentiment of intelligent readers.

How Frontiers Are Kept.
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Valuable suggestions for women who would like an inexpensive vacation. Three weeks on a wheel. It is possible to go to Europe, see London and spend twenty-one days bicycling through the most beautiful shores of England at a maximum cost of \$200.

Expensive News.
GEO. GRANTHAM BAIN contributes an article showing that American newspapers spend \$4,000,000 a year for telegrams and shows how the cost of this service has increased in recent years. One telegraph operator was all that was needed in the convention which nominated Lincoln, but there will be two hundred of these deaf knights of the key sending news from the convention hall at St. Louis.

A Dream of Easter.
B&B takes for her Sunday theme the reckoning on the day of Resurrection and immortality. The outcast's welcome—Come daughter and fear not—The chasm between home and the world—Small fault in one, a crime in another.

California Revisited.
The REV. EDWARD EVERETT HALE writes a characteristic sketch from Santa Barbara, descriptive of this land of summer and of sun, and tells of its singularly romantic associations for all good Americans.

Arbor Day Celebrations.
JOHN GILMER SPEED furnishes a short article on the Celebration of Arbor Day, which has come to be legally recognized by nearly every State. Mr. Speed has made investigations which enable him to give a lot of new information which ought to be of general interest.

"Loved I Not Honor More"
The Sunday story is a bright sketch in dialogue by SIR WALTER BESANT and WALTER HERRIES POLLOCK, two of the most eminent English literateurs of the day.

Junior Journalists.
The Children's National Literary League contribute a number of literary and artistic compositions by young authors and artists that are full of the charm and freshness of juvenile humor and sentiment.

A Thought for Easter.
An illuminated poem by JULIA WARD HOWE, the famous author of "The Battle Hymn of the Republic."

Open Windows.
The Times' Regular Sunday Sermon.

The Eagle.
Random observations on passing events.

WOMAN'S PAGE.

Fashion's Festival.
Novel and charming Easter confections. A grand dress parade. Clever women with bright eyes will gather many valuable suggestions in styles from the stream of fashionable folk that will course up and down Fifth Avenue today.

Amateur Entertainments.
Valuable suggestions for readings, drawing-room plays and recitations. The West and South can sometimes give useful hints to the East in the way of feminine culture.

Scientific Shoes.
Simple pedal surgery for limping patients. Women are having their feet treated in preparation for a busy golfing wheeling and bowling season.

An Appropriate Dessert.

BOYS AND GIRLS.

An Easter Feud.
The story of an Irish-Italian vendetta. When the date for the annual supper came around Larry Finnegan and Carmine Chicari made Locust Court a lively district.

Easter Toys.
Hens riding bicycles, chickens wearing poke bonnets and many cocks driving hay wagons are among the charming playthings for Easter.

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Board of Public Works Evade the Hitching Ordinance.

Petition for an Electric Franchise Taken Under Advisement.

The Monte Vista Neighborhood Row Aired in Court—B. R. Berlin Arrested for Embellishing a Horse.

At the City Hall yesterday the Board of Public Works considered a number of important matters without definite action upon any of them. A short session of the City Council was held, only routine business being transacted. Several petitions relating to street improvements of various sorts, were filed with the City Clerk.

At the Courthouse the Board of Supervisors was in session, and got through with a big day's work. Justice Young was hearing evidence in a case of malicious mischief at Monte Vista. Constable Yonkin looking for another homethief. A real estate agent arrested for embellishing a horse from his creditors.

AT THE CITY HALL.

A DELICATE SUBJECT.

The Question of Adopting a Proper Hitching Ordinance.

One would have thought that the petition of the Merchants' Association, which came before the Board of Public Works, asking for the passage of a hitching ordinance, was some sort of a hot coal, dangerous to those who might chance to handle it. It will be remembered that several weeks ago the council, upon a recommendation of the Fire and Water Committee "filed" a hitching ordinance, prepared by the City Attorney, it being generally understood at that time that "politics" cut the biggest figure in the shelling of the ordinance, and this understanding was confirmed by the admission of Councilman Pessell that "the wishes of the hackmen must not be opposed in this matter, because of their ability to roll up votes."

President Teed of the Council was disgusted with the timidity of his colleagues, and denounced them in words more forcible than polite. "Politics!" he said. "Politics! Politics! Politics! Can't a move be made, or an action taken, without a fear of offending a score of hackmen, or some other class of the community? Bah! These people fatigue my spirit. Here are a half-hundred of the most prominent merchants of the city, asking for the passage of an ordinance regulating this hitching nuisance, and in the face of this, the Board of Public Works slides over the petition, and refers it to now under consideration."

Comment upon the cowardice of the Board of Public Works in trying to shirk action upon the merchants' petition is general about the City Hall. Councilman Pessell is not blamed a great deal, as he is admitted the ground of the opposition to a hitching ordinance of any sort, but the other members of the board have been condemned for a profligate indifference to the public interest. The board is framed which would not work hardship on any citizen, or class of citizens, and hence the surprise occasioned by the cowardice of the board.

The board yesterday considered the petition of E. E. Peck, that an electric franchise be advertised for sale, and took the same under advisement until April 25. The petition of Edward L. Young, Jr., for light the City Hall in compliance with the electric franchise granted him, has expired. The petition of the "Whisper" street, that an electric railway franchise for certain streets near Westlake Park be advertised for sale, was discussed by the members of the board, but no action on the petition was taken.

Other matters referred to the board were acted upon as follows:

"Recommend" petition from Oscar Macy et al., asking that a viaduct be put across the river at Macy street, be filed as the city has no money on hand at this time to make any improvements of this kind.

"Recommend" petition from C. R. Thomas et al., asking that Hamilton street from Pasadena avenue to Moffatt street be graded, graveled and curbed with cement curb, under the bond provision of the Vrooman Act, be referred to the City Engineer for estimate of cost, and the same be added to the amount required by law, then to present the necessary ordinance of intention.

"Recommend" petition from S. Sepulveda, asking that cement sidewalks be laid on Maple avenue between Seventh and Eighth streets, be granted and the City Engineer be referred to prepare and present the necessary ordinance of intention for the construction of a six-foot cement sidewalk.

H. Griffen et al., asking to have the grade of Griffin avenue at the intersection of Swain street changed according to profile now on file in the office of the City Engineer, be referred to the City Engineer to report if a majority of the frontage affected is represented therein, and if so to present the necessary ordinance of intention.

"Recommend" that protest from J. A. Graves et al., against the widening of Ninth street, between Pearl and Main streets, be laid on the table to be called up at the hearing of the protests against the widening of said Ninth street.

"Recommend" that the ordinance abandoning a portion of Biggy street be filed.

"Recommend" that the communication of D. L. Grove calling attention to the condition of the street between the railroad tracks at the corner of Eleventh and Pearl streets be referred to the Street Superintendent to have the matter complained of remedied.

New Information.

Upon motion of the District Attorney an information was filed in Department One of the Superior Court charging Dolores Vegas with an assault to commit rape upon the person of Andrella Rodriguez de Gordan.

PETITIONS FILED.

Bicyclists and Other People Address the City Council.

A petition signed by Enoch Pepper and others, asking for changes in the sewer assessments in district No. 4, was filed with the City Clerk yesterday, reading as follows:

"To the Honorable City Council: The undersigned petitioners would respectfully represent that they are property-owners in district No. 4, and that they own land in the City Center tract. Your petitioners appeal from the action of the Street Superintendent in assessing the sewers constructed in sewer district No. 4, and in issuing the assessment warrant and diagram therefor, and, in fact, from all the proceedings of the said Street Superintendent in this matter for the following reasons:

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A similar petition from Enoch Pepper, urging the same grounds for appeal from the assessments in sewer district No. 4, accompanied the foregoing petition.

CYCLISTS IN EVIDENCE.

The men who ride bicycles on Figueroa street, to the number of more than one hundred, yesterday filed the following petition with the City Clerk:

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DEBTS OF THE CITY.

The Los Angeles Lumber Company has notified the City Council that street-improvement bonds for \$343.45 are held by the company, the same being for improvement of Cambria street, in front of the schoolhouse, in the street. The Council is requested to at once arrange for the payment of the bonds.

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THE ADVENTURES OF ONE JOSEPH EVANS, SWINDLER.

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Joseph Evans of Los Angeles, alias Jacob Owen of Duluth, Minn., alias Edson T. Martin of Portland, Or., has succeeded in collecting some money from citizens of Los Angeles on a patent that he alleges to have been the possessor of. Mr. Evans called on a man named Barker, and exhibited to him an aluminum model of a thill coupling, and after expatiating upon its merits, sold a half-interest therein to Mr. Barker for about \$350. But Mr. Barker had a friend named Hylands, whom it was necessary to get into this good thing. Mr. Hylands came, saw and was conquered, and straightway invested about \$400 in the scheme. St. John Day, the patent attorney, sent the papers and patent application to Washington. Mr. Evans met Mr. Hylands the following day at Mr. Day's office, and from him borrowed the aluminum model of the coupling, promising to return it the next day. He did not return, neither did the model.

The scheme was given away by a private letter from John S. Seymour, the government Commissioner of Patents, dated August 7, 1895. In this letter Mr. Seymour says that he has suspicions that Evans had filed under another name and assigned to other parties an application for a patent for a thill coupling, and requested that a description of the man and a specimen of his handwriting be sent to Washington. St. John Day's answer, dated August 15, 1895, gave a detailed description of the ingenious Evans, and inclosed the only specimen of Evans's handwriting obtainable, which happened to be the receipt for the money received from Hylands. In return came an answer stating that applications had been made for the same patent twice by Joseph Evans of Los Angeles, once by Jacob Owen of Duluth, Minn., and once by Edson T. Martin of Portland, Or., to whom the patent was granted. This letter effectually put a stop to all the claims made by Evans.

Mr. Barker, one of the men swindled by the wily Evans, was seen and corroborated the truth of the story. He said that he had bought the interest on account of a debt to him in Mr. Hylands, but that his loss was only a few hundred dollars. So far, he had seen nothing more of Evans or of the model.

Mr. Hylands could not be found, but another case came up. G. L. Thiel, a man who has done a good deal in the developing of patents, met Evans and was induced to buy an interest therein. However, for some reason, Mr. Thiel was not satisfied with his bargain, and got his money back, he suspecting that something was wrong from the man's actions. This was after the chief episode of the story.

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SUPPLY AND DEMAND.
Oil Dealers Holding on to Their Profits.
The price of oil still remains firm at 80 cents per barrel delivered. The firmness of the price may be largely laid to the constant falling off in production. The drilling and deepening of wells now going on may keep up the supply, but it is difficult to secure data as to the results of such work from those doing it. At present it seems as if the buyers and sellers were working against each other as to the consumption of oil. The buyers show a great disinclination to purchase at the present high rate, and are running on as low a supply as possible. On the other hand, the sellers are holding on to their oil, keeping the price up, and waiting for orders. From the present outlook it would seem as if the producers had the better of the game.

As an example of the falling supply of the field, the case of Mr. Turner might be quoted. He has eleven wells that when first completed turned out 2500 barrels of oil per month. The same wells now yield only 800 barrels, and the supply is still falling off. Mr. Turner is now deepening one of his wells, expecting a yield therefrom of fifty or sixty barrels a day, but as this is conjecture, nothing definite can be said. Mr. Turner now has 7000 barrels of oil on hand, which he is holding for the dollar price looked for by all the dealers.

The oil bark Enoch Talbot is expected to arrive from San Francisco at San Pedro on Monday. Her carrying capacity will at once be increased, the new tanks being made here in the city. They will be fitted immediately on her return, the tankage of the boat then being 9000 barrels. The ship Talbot starts north again with another load of the price of oil is expected to make another jump as far as the local market is concerned. The shipping and carrying of 9000 barrels from a supply of 100,000 barrels—the amount estimated to be on hand—must have some effect on the price, and a jump of 5 cents will probably be the result of the departure of the Talbot.

NEW POSTOFFICE.

Some Statistics Showing the Great Need for Relief.

The last of the five sub-stations lately authorized by the Postoffice Department for Los Angeles has been located at No. 1205 Central avenue. Henry S. Lord has been appointed superintendent. That additional facilities were needed is shown by the heavy increase in the business of the Los Angeles office. Data relating to 1270 domestic parcels, already published, showed a large gain over the corresponding period last year. Further statistics, taken from the records of the registered mail department, show a corresponding increase in the business performed. For the quarter ending March 31, 6135 domestic letters were registered, 1270 domestic parcels, 1193 foreign letters, 107 foreign parcels, and 600 official letters and parcels registered free, or 9304 registered letters and packages for the three months. For the corresponding period last year, only 5244 domestic letters were registered, 1010 domestic parcels, 1175 foreign letters, 74 foreign parcels, and 507 official letters and parcels registered, or only 8936 letters and packages all together—413 less than for the quarter just ended.

From Postmaster Matthews it is learned that a corresponding increase is shown in every department of the office. The new sub-stations will somewhat relieve the congestion of the central office, but more carriers and clerks are needed and must be had before many months. Los Angeles is gaining metropolitan proportions, and the labor involved in the handling of the mails is swelling immensely.

FOR THE NEWSBOYS' HOME.

The Subscription Started for Purchasing Needed Property.

Inasmuch as the board of managers of the News and Working Boys' Home Society has obtained an option for ninety (90) days to purchase the property at No. 638 Wall street, for four thousand (\$4000) dollars cash, said property consisting of a lot fifty (50) feet front on said Wall street, by a uniform depth of two hundred and forty-two (242) feet, with ten (10) room house, and other improvements thereon, for permanent home for said society, we the undersigned, do hereby promise to pay Mrs. M. E. Threlkeld, or order, president of the same, the several sums set opposite our respective names below, payable on demand, for the purpose of purchasing the above-named property, for the use of said society. These several amounts are subscribed by us, and will be promptly paid, whenever the aggregate sum of four thousand (\$4000) dollars is subscribed, and that the said property is to be free of all incumbrance, and a certificate of clear title and proper deed is furnished.

On hand from various sources \$237.50
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Burbank Theater Benefit 218.75
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T. D. Stinson 50.00
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Mrs. J. Ross Clark 7.10
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S. P. Mulford 25.00
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J. R. Newberry & Co. 10.00
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Joseph Schoder 5.00
C. D. Howry 10.00
A. Friend 10.00
Mrs. Nettie Minor 20.00
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Peck & Chase Company 10.00
Fred K. Rule 20.00
Gen. D. Remick 5.00
Harrison & Dickson 5.00
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J. J. O'Brien & Co. 10.00
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Simon Maier 25.00
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The option which was secured on the Wall-street property which is the intention of the Newsboys' Home managers to purchase, will expire next Monday, April 6, and as it is necessary that the purchase money be available before that time, all of those who have promised to contribute and have not yet paid the cash, are requested to send the amount of their contribution to the Times office without delay.

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ORANGE COUNTY.

THE SEWER GHENT IN SANTA ANA BOSS SEVERELY UP.

Apparently for the Purpose of Defeating the Movement for Municipal Ownership of the Electric Light—The Southern Murder Trial—News Notes.

SANTA ANA, April 3.—(Regular Correspondence.) There has been some misapprehension among readers of the Times in Santa Ana over a paragraph in this column in reference to the possibility of the sewer question for this city bobbing up again now just as it becomes apparent that something will be done in the matter of the city voting on owning and operating its electric light system. The correspondent stated that it had been reported that one or more of the members of the City Council had expressed a desire to bring up the sewer question and to have the people vote upon it at the same time the election on the electric light proposition was being held. This now turns out to be a fact; that this sentiment is being spread as rapidly as possible by those who are here to force upon the city the ownership of electric lights. Their reason is obvious.

Since the fact has become known that an effort is being made to have both these questions voted upon at the same time, with a view of defeating the electric light proposition, scores of property-owners have plainly shown that they will take off their coats and work from sunup to sundown to defeat the movement. The Chamber of Commerce petition showing the sentiment of the city owners and business men to be at least ten to one in favor of the city owning and operating its lighting system, shows plainly how the citizens feel about the matter. It remains, however, for the City Trustees to say whether or not the election shall be called. There is no doubt already stated that they are heartily in favor of the movement. The other two have yet to answer.

THE SOUTHERN MURDER CASE. William Wright testified to seeing Southern in a saloon in Santa Ana on the night of the crime, and as to his clothing—light coat and hat, and Tom Selvidge saw him in town the same evening. He also testified to seeing a horse and buckboard, which he afterward took to Southern's home about midnight; then he found Southern at home and in the morning he was arrested. He testified to the identity of the murdered Indian, Mariano Cuero. Eugene Litten saw the defendant in Fischer's saloon on the night of the crime. His memory was bad as to what transpired at that time. Pedro Cuero said that he was a brother of the murdered man; that he saw his brother in the City Hall in Santa Ana on the night of October 12, 1894, after he had been shot. H. A. Weaver testified to having at one time, shortly before Southern was arrested, secured a 38-caliber Smith & Wesson revolver from the defendant, which he subsequently turned over to Sheriff Nichols. Sheriff Nichols then testified as to how and where he procured the pistol, and identified the shooting-iron in court as the same one that was received from Weaver. A. E. Hawley was called to testify as to the caliber of the pistol, but that evidence was considered immaterial.

The plaintiff then rested and the defense recalled several of the witnesses of the prosecution. Harry Ryan and Fred Marshall testified that they arrived upon the scene of the murder soon after the fatal shot had been fired, and that they saw Southern in the saloon. A. E. Hawley testified that a Mexican had shot him. R. O. Fryer testified that the defendant on the night of the crime wore a light-colored shirt and hat. At the conclusion of the examination of this witness court adjourned to meet Saturday morning at 10 o'clock. It will take fully another day, and perhaps more, for the defense to get in their evidence, and then with the arguments of the attorneys and the instruction of the court to the jury, it will probably be the middle of next week before the jury retires to deliberate upon a verdict.

THE LITTLE GIRL DEAD.

Bessie, the little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. I. W. Austin of this city, who was so badly burned by falling into a pan of boiling water that had been used in the manufacture of tamales, mentioned in the Times of Friday's Times, died today from the serious burns.

The little tot suffered terribly before death came to relieve her, and the messenger finally came and she was laid away. The funeral services will be held Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the family residence on Second street.

STEPHAN TO BE RELEASED.

Leo Stephan will probably be released from the County Jail Saturday. Attorney McKelvey, for the saloon-keeper, received a telegram Friday from the Los Angeles Supreme Court. T. H. Ward, that the writ of habeas corpus in the Leo Stephan case had been granted in the Supreme Court, and that he would be released in Los Angeles on Monday, April 20, 1896. It is therefore set for argument on that date. This is another straw for the Orange saloon-keeper. He is making a vigorous fight, to say the least.

It will be remembered that during the fore part of the week, Stephan was committed to jail by Superior Judge Tower for refusing to pay a fine of \$250 for selling liquor without a license.

SAN PEDRO.

Burglary Case in Court—Harbor Resolutions Adopted.

SAN PEDRO, April 3.—(Regular Correspondence.) Robert Mack, charged with burglariously entering the Southern Pacific Fifth-street station house Monday evening, was before Justice Downing this morning. He was arraigned and the preliminary examination was set for a later date.

THE HARBOR QUESTION.

At the meeting of the Board of Trustees Thursday evening Dr. Hill was heard in favor of adopting resolutions commending Congressmen James Maguire from San Francisco for the course he had taken on the harbor question. Other speakers favored adopting such resolutions commending all of the California delegation and an expression of opinion to that effect was adopted by the board.

BREVITIES.

San Pedro Circle No. 261, Companions of the Foresters, has adopted appropriate resolutions on the death of Miss Mary Nelson, who was a charter member of the circle. It was announced that the preliminary examination was set for a later date.

John Curry was by a jury found guilty of battery committed on St.

SAN BERNARDINO COUNTY.

INVESTIGATION OF THE HUGHES CASE RESUMED YESTERDAY.

Dramatic Scene in Court—Another Chapter in the Alleged Conspiracy—Damon and Pythian Find Their Modern Parallels.

SAN BERNARDINO, April 3.—(Regular Correspondence.) Never did Senate walls echo to grander strains of eloquence; never did theater stage portray more realistically the trials of human life, than were set forth in Judge Otis's court today in the insanity trial of Judge Hughes of Nevada.

There sat the old man of seventy-odd years, with snowy hair, at times a patient listener, at other times an active participant in his own investigation. In a quiet state, the type of a worn-out, feeble old man, with his feet on the threshold of the grave; at other times, roused to activity, he spoke with voice accustomed to audiences, and brain accustomed to thought. Now touching upon law, and notwithstanding his fifteen years' confinement in insane asylums, revealing a breadth and depth of legal lore, astounding to attorneys present; then revealing a mass of scars upon his leg, which he alleged that he received at the hands of a man named Damon, who he said to show as intimate knowledge of the construction of the human body as a learned physician, and relating how and where he had been beaten and ironed and plastered of Paris, he pointed to the fact as evidence of an attempt to rot off his leg, that the story might be told in his death from some common ailment.

From sharp parries with the State's lawyer, he turned to stories of millions of dollars with which he dealt, and might with cents, and yet admitting that while possessing vast wealth, he still lacked the smallest amount of cash. And then there was the more remarkable feature, his friend Gillard, old as he, but more stalwart in his six feet of frame, with a head of silvery hair, with a sheaf of silvery white hair, with eloquence ennobled by unbounded love for his companion of other days, nor whose rescue from an asylum he had ridden his pony across the deserts and mesas from Nevada, bringing with him stories of broken hearts and broken promises, and a mine belonging to the old judge, as strange confirmation of the wonderful stories related by the prisoner.

These, side by side, the relics of a dead past, set these two striking characters, equally learned, equally brilliant, and though they had been separated for all the long years, yet standing which one had pinned for liberty in a madman's prison cell, and the other had gone on with the old-time miners' search for fortune in the West.

Ontario, April 3.—(Regular Correspondence.) The opening session of the farmers' institute was held in the City Hall this afternoon. Rev. E. A. Healy delivered the address of welcome on behalf of the citizens, which was responded to by Dr. Hilgard of the State University.

Dr. Hilgard spoke of the competition which would result from the improvement of horticultural conditions in California. He said that the institute at Colton and San Jacinto, and which was reported in the Times, was a very successful one. He stated that the black scale had no greater affinity for the olive than the orange or lemon. He advocated an improved pruning, only such as could be done with knife and pruning shears. Very little fertilizer is needed for olive trees. It needs a soil rich in lime and the locally hilly land is much better adapted to olive culture. Experiments made would indicate that olives grown on high or hilly land bear 25 per cent. of oil, while those grown on low land possess only 7 per cent. of oil. The trees take up but little water. Olives should be picked when red, rather than when green, and when the fruit is ripe it has over varieties, but no decision was reached as to which kind were best adapted to this section. There is such a thing as a large olive, and for the smaller varieties are preferable. The Mission requires the most heat of any olive grown.

Mr. Conner made an earnest plea for farmers' clubs, followed along the same line of thought by J. P. Baumgartner of Riverside. Cooperation, the speaker emphasized, was the essential factor for the farmer, and the most practical method of cooperation for the farmer is the horticultural club. The social side of the club is the most important, and it was shown that women as well as the men found the club helpful.

After the reading of Mr. Baumgartner's paper, it was voted that a committee of three be appointed to formulate plans for a local farmers' club. A. P. Howard, J. W. Freeman and T. C. Wood were named as this committee.

C. D. Adams spoke on the cooperative marketing of fruits. He spoke of the causes which led to the formation of the system of Southern California fruit exchanges. "The individual shipper or grower can never compete with the packer who has at his facilities of packing, shipping and telegraph, such as is enjoyed by the members of the exchange."

Mills of the Chino experiment station read a valuable paper on "A New Remedy for the Black Scale Pest." Mr. Mills spoke of some of the earliest efforts in the line of pest eradication, and led up to the black scale pest, and the various efforts made to eradicate it. A yellow margined bush in the grounds of the experiment station was a few months ago literally covered with black scale. A white fungus appeared on the plants just at the time the scale was hatching, and they immediately became covered with the fungus. As a result of this the scale began to die, and the plants were soon free from live scale.

Joseph Holmes, an Ontario orange-grower, told of a mite which rid his trees of the black scale. These mites bored ragged holes in the back of the scale bugs, and the orchard the season following the advent of the mites was almost free from the scale and its destroyer.

The band will render selections to-night, and a specially interesting program has been arranged.

Sessions will be held in the morning, afternoon and evening tomorrow.

POMONA.

A Probably Fatal Shooting Accident. Christian Scientists.

POMONA, April 3.—(Regular Correspondence.) Albert Bauer, a 12-year-old lad who has been visiting at the home of his uncle, George A. Steffa, was shot by accident this afternoon, and at this writing (5:30 p.m.) it seems that the wound is fatal and death will come before tomorrow morning. Three lads, Emil Pollock, and George and Albert Bauer, were out hunting on the foothill lands between Pomona and Ontario this afternoon. They were coming home in a buggy. Pollock was driving, and his cousins, the Bauer boys, had their shotguns and were looking out for game. The last came past the Becker ranch, on East Holt avenue, where the line between San Bernardino and Los Angeles counties, a bird was seen. In a moment Albert Bauer raised his gun, but as he seemed to delay about shooting, his brother feared the game would be lost, so he snatched up his gun to shoot. In some way the weapon was discharged in the firing of the gun, and a full size of shell shot through the left shoulder blade. Not a word was spoken until the second shot, then a torrent of blood burst from the dreadful wound and splashed over the other two boys, they saw that an awful deed had occurred. The wounded boy sat up bravely and said that it would be best to drive with all speed to the nearest hospital. He was taken to the home of his uncle, George A. Steffa, and the little fellow never complained. The brother was completely overwhelmed at the shooting, and how occurred at his hands. He was about as crazy with grief when the boys arrived at the Steffa house. During the afternoon the boy was anxiously from the poor boy's back and ran down his own and his companions' clothing.

Dr. Johnson, Campbell, Garcelon and Henderson were called as soon as Emil Pollock could drive further on to Pomona, and the news of the accident was spread. Dr. Campbell was seen at 5 o'clock, and he said the injury was not serious. The boy was in a cheerful mood and had lived in Pomona eight years. The Bauer boys are Mrs. Steffa's nephews and came on a visit from Iowa about two months ago. The brother in whose hands the gun went off, is almost insane with excitement and grief, and can hardly tell the truth about the accident. He has the sympathy of every one. The little boy who is shot knows that the stories of broken hearts and broken promises, and a mine belonging to the old judge, as strange confirmation of the wonderful stories related by the prisoner.

Prayed to Death. Coroner Campbell has been summoned to Pomona to investigate what case he has been investigating. The family of Christian Scientists, Constable Slankers has been investigating a case. The little four-and-one-half-year-old boy, named J. E. McLeod, living on the corner of Palm and Holt avenues, near the home of Dr. Steffa, was shot with a bullet in the throat disease last week that the neighbors saw resembled diphtheria. Ulver and his wife called in no aid and declined to take any action about the case. Meanwhile they prayed early and often for the child's recovery. This morning, when the neighbors asked how the boy was, they said the child had "gone over."

ALHAMBRA, April 3.—(Regular Correspondence.) The Los Angeles and Pasadena Electric Railway has a franchise to run an electric road, starting on the main line of the Santa Ana and extending eastward through Alhambra, Santa Anita and Monrovia. This extension is regarded as one of the most important ones contemplated by this company. The extension will be a line of about fifteen miles, and will be a complete line, people are naturally inquiring, "Who comes next?" Alhambra citizens who are in position to know, have been heard to say that the company has come, and claim to have this franchise from the company. It is remarkable how closely improvements follow each other in this city. Last year, which is evidence that the construction of this line will create a great rush to this exceptionally desirable residence.

FRUIT SHIPPERS.

Fruit packing and shipping at this point is divided among a number of dealers, and the most remarkable, at least most noticeable, feature is that all the grading and packing is done by Chinese. The Alhambra association of fruit shippers, which has been organized, is a complete line, people are naturally inquiring, "Who comes next?" Alhambra citizens who are in position to know, have been heard to say that the company has come, and claim to have this franchise from the company. It is remarkable how closely improvements follow each other in this city. Last year, which is evidence that the construction of this line will create a great rush to this exceptionally desirable residence.

SHOES AND CORSETS.

Manager R. W. Colson of the Alhambra Shoe Factory has a saleswoman traveling for the company, and this may be one of the reasons why he has determined to add corset manufacturing to the shoe business. Mrs. E. J. Field has just returned from a very successful trip through the San Joaquin Valley, and says "the boys" are not doing too badly. She is a jealous least women drummers become popular, and drive the boys out of business. Mrs. Field's expenses were just as much as those of the average salesman. Mr. Colson is negotiating with the Canoga Extract Company with a view to handling a full line of the company's products. The business of the factory is increasing rapidly and a deal of considerable public importance is now pending which will result in further enlarging and extending the company's operations.

PERSONALS.

Dr. Milbank Johnson and family will start for Europe tomorrow on the steamer "Albatross." The family will be gone for both study and pleasure, and their first objective point is Paris. Mrs. E. J. Field will start in a few days on an extended tour through Oregon and Washington, and will take with her cases of Alhambra shoes and bicycle corsets.

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FARMERS' INSTITUTE.

PREVENTION OF FROST FURTHER DISCUSSED.

Burning of Wet Straw and Similar Material Favored—Co-operation Necessary to Success—Benefits Derived from the Fruit Exchanges.

COLTON, April 3.—(Regular Correspondence.) After the close of the correspondence from the Farmers' Institute yesterday, the paper by W. H. Hammond of the United States Weather Bureau was read. Mr. Hammond treated the subject in much the same way as did Mr. Finkle. He favored the burning of wet straw and similar material. He enlarged on the fact that the condensation of water from a vapor state gives forth much heat, and is required to change it from liquid to vapor. A quart of water, he said, in condensation from vapor to liquid would raise the temperature ten degrees in a space eight feet square and eighty feet deep. He quoted George A. Fleming of Ventura as having demonstrated the effectiveness of driving off frost by creating vapor, in saving fruit on 400 acres of orchard, though adjoining orchards were badly injured.

Cutter of Riverside spoke on the same subject. He said he thought cooperation was the requisite in fighting frost. The institute can do nothing. He would not dictate how individuals should work, but every man should do something. He believed a wet and hard surface soil offered the best condition to radiate heat during the night. To do this every man should irrigate his orchard for twenty-four hours once each week during the period when frosts are liable. He exhibited a specimen of peat which he had been experimenting with. He said that a cubic foot of peat will burn and retain up to sixteen hours 2.21 gallons of water. He thought it would make an ideal smudge, and could be obtained very cheaply from Orange county.

William Sterling of Redlands spoke of "San Jose Scale," tracing its history from its discovery in San Jose, and outlining the various methods of eradicating the pest. He urged the necessity of each fruit-grower familiarizing himself with the pest which prey upon his products.

Miss Margaret Suddoth, editor of the "Sun," spoke of "Home Reading," and interesting paper on "Home Reading." It was of such uncommon value that a resolution was passed asking that it be published. Although the above exhausted the programme of an uncommonly long session, J. E. Cutter of Riverside asked permission to read a volunteer paper on the subject, "One Hundred Days After the Frost." After consent had been reluctantly given, the paper was read. It proved to be only an attack on the Times for having published the facts regarding the frosts in Riverside, thus brought in under a title named "Home Reading." It was of such uncommon value that a resolution was passed asking that it be published.

FRUIT-GROWERS' EXCHANGE.

T. H. Chamblin of Riverside spoke on his favorite subject, "Fruit-Growers' Exchange." He said the vital interests of the State are involved in the subject now under discussion. He declared he was an opponent of the up-to-date variety. "This question involves everything that has been considered in this institute. This is to build up homes and schools, and build up the state. We are told that a farmer should know everything about his farm, but nothing about the markets. Before the organization of the fruit-growers' exchange farmers were losing their crops in the markets. There is a conflict now on for the very life of horticulture in California. The days were, when oranges were paid for with a single postage stamp. Yes, worse than that. Grower after grower has been told to grow more and more, and sent hundreds of boxes of oranges to the market, and then had sent hundreds of dollars after them to pay the expenses of the fruit-growers' exchange in marketing the crops. You want to permeate the air and keep it permeated with the need of protection in the market. A dozen growers may have their hands upon the throat of horticulture in California. They tell us this is sentiment, and sentiment has no place in business. It is good statesmanship to develop the desert for future homes, what shall we say of an organization which saves homes already established? That is what the orange-growers' exchange has done and is doing. We approached this problem backed by a natural law, firm and inflexible, the law of cooperation. You might as well not plant a tree top down; but nature says, "No, obey my laws." Cooperation is the reverse of competition, which is not a natural law. Cooperation never seeks to tear down another man. Competition says the least possible for the most possible. A grower is not to divide equally the product, but to render to each in proportion to his production. Go East and you will find the manufacturer living in a brown-stone house and his employees living in hovels. That is a specimen of human selfishness. It is what the exchange system seeks to do. It is to give to each a share in the wealth of the state. It is to repeat itself. We want to reach a higher condition.

The exchange has wrought a revolution. Instead of fruit being shipped out haphazard, it now goes out of California to be sold. "I haven't a word to say against the private packers. They built up the orange-shipping business, and are now fighting to retain their hold. I never have said a word against those men, and I never will. It is the method we oppose."

THE exchange is running its business on its own methods. It is not questioning anybody's methods. But if we



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have been able to accomplish all this with only 50 per cent. of the oranges, what would be the result if we had 85 per cent. of the fruit? "I asked a banker who has shipped large quantities of oranges for himself and his neighbors, what would be the result if the Los Angeles growers should announce the dissolution of the exchange. He hesitated a moment, and then said: "You could cut the values of Southern California property in two." "Under the exchange, according to the kind, quality and quantity of the fruit we return to each grower his share of the proceeds. We invite all to come with us and share these tangible returns." Miss Annie Tregear of Colton, who is one of the most gifted vocalists of Southern California, rendered a characteristically beautiful classical song, responding to a vigorous encore with a "hallelujah."

On motion of William C. Fuller, a committee was appointed to organize a farmers' club, the committee consisting of Messrs. Fuller and Foster. A meeting of the committee was called at 8 o'clock Thursday evening next.

OFF FOR REDLANDS!

All Aboard for the Newsboys' Excursion Today.

Assurances are for fine weather and a large excursion around the Kite-shaped track today in the interest of the News and Working Boys' Home. The train leaves La Grande station at 9 a.m. The fare is only \$2.05 for the round trip. One week ago the rain interfered with the plans of the railway management and the excursion had to be abandoned. This time there is no prospect of stormy weather and a delightful trip is insured to those who may help to swell the building fund in this highly enjoyable manner. Stops will be made at Redlands and Riverside, and to discover new uses for it daily visiting the famous orange groves and beautiful avenues in these delightful towns. Miss Whitlock, the Santa Fe excursion agent, will accompany the party.

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BROADWAY TUNNEL.

Plans for Its Construction Made by the Engineers.

Big Assessment District to Be Laid Out by the Council.

What the Tunnel Will Cost—Specifications in Detail for the Work. An Improvement of Immense Importance.

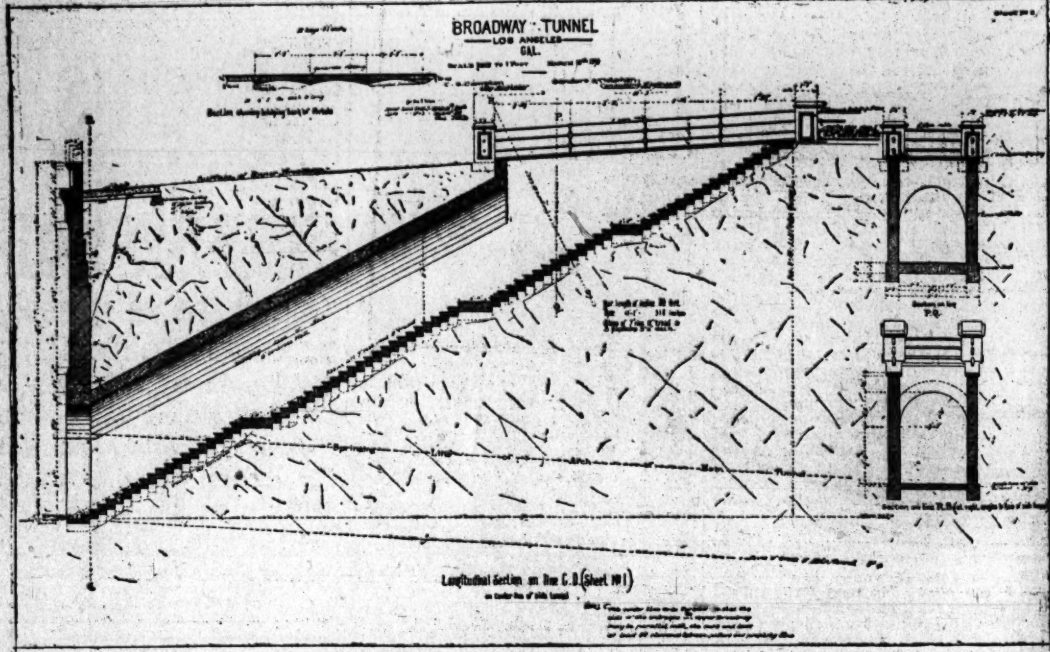
One of the most important improvements ever undertaken or contemplated in Los Angeles is rapidly approaching a point where its carrying out assumes the phase of certainty. The Broadway tunnel, which is to connect Bellevue avenue at Buena Vista street with Broadway at Temple street, promises to become a reality, after the endless amount of discussion

tion of the main tunnel shall be made in accordance with the lines and grade given by the City Engineer, and shall include the removal of all material that may be encountered in preparing for the brick work and concrete lining. No powder is to be used in the excavation of the side galleries or headings of the main tunnel, and powder is only to be used when, in the opinion of the City Engineer or his inspector, no damage could be caused to the roof of the tunnel, or to the work already completed. All spaces between the outside of the brick work in the sides and top of the excavation, must be filled with broken rock, laid carefully by hand, in such a way as to permit the drainage of water, and at the same time transmit the pressure of the roof and sides of the tunnel to the brick work.

BRICK AND CONCRETE. The specifications are very minute and exact in describing how the brick work of the tunnel is to be laid. The brick is to be of the best quality, smooth, hand-burned and compact. No bats will be allowed in the work. The mortar is to be made of Portland cement and clean sand, the brick to be laid flush in this mortar and thoroughly wet when laid. The bricks must be laid in the walls with the ordinary Eng-

two inches. All stone used in the work must be of first-class quality and subject to the approval of the City Engineer. The invert of the main tunnel will be covered with a layer of asphalt, prepared and laid in accordance with the specifications of Los Angeles city. The north approach to the tunnel is to be paved for a width of thirty feet as a continuation of the tunnel roadway, to an intersection with Buena Vista street.

All of the sidewalks shown on the plans are to be constructed in accordance with city specifications. The steps in the tunnels are to be finished with a coat of cement-mortar one-half inch thick. The work will be executed under the direction of the City Engineer, or his duly appointed assistants, but the presence of the inspectors will not in any way release the contractor from his obligations or responsibilities. All materials that may be used in the construction of the tunnel will be subjected to rigid inspection and any that have been condemned will have to be immediately removed from the site of the work. The bidder who is awarded the contract to construct the tunnel will be obliged to assume all risks from catastrophes of every kind, and the price to be paid him will include the furnishing of all material, scaffolding, centering,



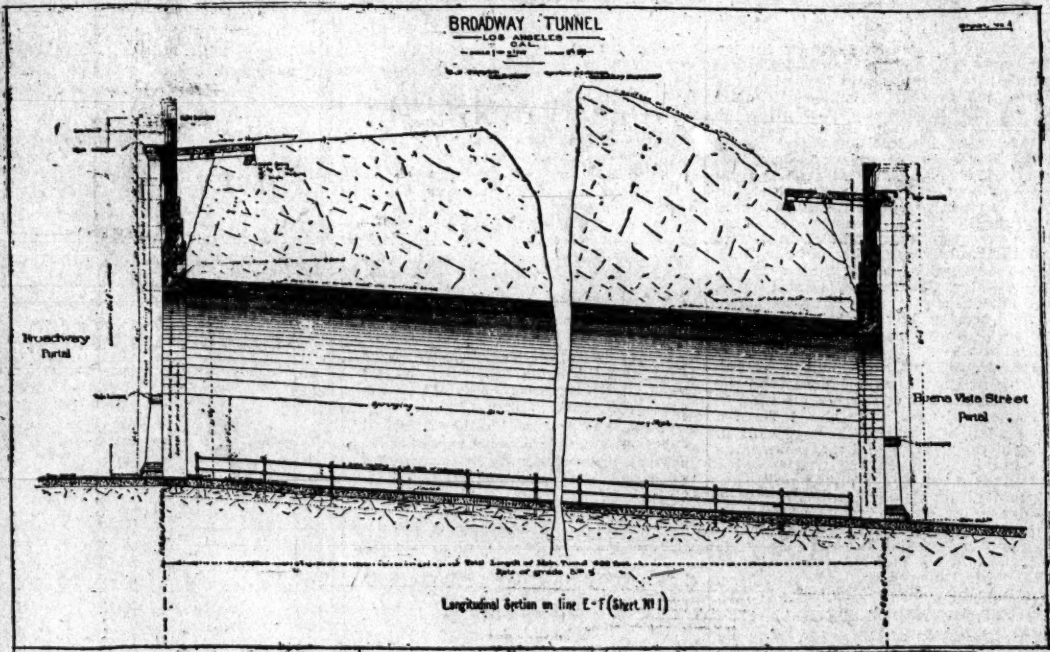
LONGITUDINAL SECTION, SHOWING THE STAIRS.

and talk concerning it which has been made for years past. City Engineer Compton, under the instruction of the Council, has drawn the plans and specifications for the big tunnel, and these have been submitted to and revised by a firm of engineers who have the reputation of experts in their profession. The cost of the tunnel is estimated by the City Engineer to be about \$94,480, and this sum is to be raised by the property-owners whom the Council has decided are benefited by the big improve-

ment. No headers are to be used in the arch. The drainage from material above the main tunnel is to be provided for by drainage pipes through the main wall, every twenty feet, on each side, at level of roadway. The specifications in dealing with the concrete work provide that the best of cement, sand and rock shall be used. Layers of concrete cannot exceed nine inches in thickness and are to be thoroughly rammed until the water flushes to the surface. The sidewalk in the tunnel will be guarded by a railing of two-inch gas-pipe, the

and all expenses necessary to the construction and completion of the work.

ESTIMATE OF COST. Perhaps the most interesting feature of the specifications which the City Engineer has prepared is his estimate of what the tunnel cost to the property-owners, when completed, will be. In round numbers the engineer bases the cost at \$92,480. Of this sum the excavation in the tunnel proper, the side tunnels and approaches, will consume \$29,952.52. The brick work



LONGITUDINAL SECTION, SHOWING THE EASY GRADE OF THE TUNNEL.

ment, Councilman Snyder, at the Council meeting next Monday, will introduce a motion that an assessment district for the tunnel be laid out. This motion will be referred to the Board of Public Works, of which Councilman Munson is chairman. It will be the province of the board to decide what the boundaries of the assessment district shall be, and this is no light task. Councilman Munson's long experience with public work and his connection with such extensive improvements as the outfall sewer, peculiarly qualify him for the work, of which he will have the direction. The assessment district will of necessity be a very large one, as the entire section of the city north and west of Bellevue avenue and Buena Vista street will receive incalculable benefit by the opening of the tunnel through from Bellevue avenue to Temple street and Broadway. To the south the assessment district may go as far as Ninth street, and possibly farther. These delicate points will all be settled by the Board of Public Works, assisted, of course, by the Councilmen whose wards are affected by the improvement and the assessment.

THE ENGINEER'S SPECIFICATIONS.

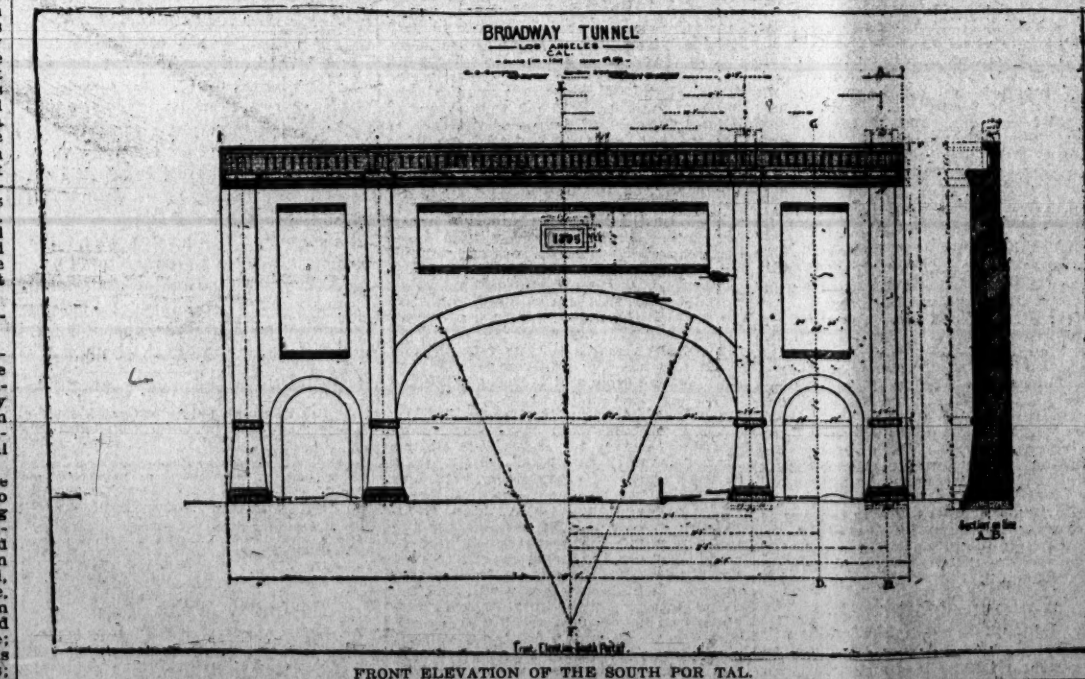
In preparing the tunnel specifications which will serve to enlighten the Councilmen, property-owners and contractors who will bid on the work, City Engineer Compton has placed them under four heads: "Description," "Excavation," "Materials" and "General Work."

Under the head of "Description" the Engineer explains that the work to be done consists, first, in excavating and lining with brick work and concrete, a tunnel of the dimensions and on the grade and location as shown on the plans on file in his office; second, excavating and lining with concrete, two smaller tunnels, with steps from "Lower" to "Upper" Broadway, and completing the entrances to the same; third, the construction of two portals with their necessary foundations; fourth, the cementing of the sidewalk in the main tunnel, also the grading and cementing of additional sidewalk necessary to connect with the tunnel sidewalk, and with those at the entrances to the side tunnels; fifth, the laying of an asphalt pavement on the roadway of the main tunnel and approaches thereto, as indicated in the plans before referred to; sixth, the arching and paving of the spaces left back of the portals for relieving the portal walls from horizontal thrust.

Under the head of "Excavation" the specifications provide that the excavation

posts of which are to be three feet above the edge of the sidewalk, and project two feet into the solid material below the tunnel floor, where they will be fastened with melted sulphur. These posts will be eight feet apart. The entrance to the side tunnels on "Upper" Broadway are also to be protected by a hand-railing, which

in the tunnel and in the portals will cost \$31,168. The mortar to be used in the work will be worth \$400, and the concrete for the roadway, steps and foundations will cost about \$8850. The bill for the asphalt work will be \$4163.50. The stone coping, iron railing, iron pipe and beams will cost about \$1600. Other sundries to be used in the work will



FRONT ELEVATION OF THE SOUTH PORTAL.

will be connected as are those in the main tunnel. The interior of walls in the side tunnels and their approaches are to be covered with a smooth surface of cement-mortar, one-half inch thick.

GENERAL DETAILS.

All of the stone work shown in the plans is to be of Sespe sandstone, dressed to a true surface on the top and bottom, with the faces made rough. The projections of the quarry face are not to exceed four inches, and in the side wall of the tunnel portals this projection will not exceed

make the actual cost of material and labor about \$94,480. To this sum the engineer has added for contingencies 10 per cent, and 5 per cent, for engineer and inspection work, which, as before stated, will make the total cost of the tunnel about \$92,480.

No perspective drawings have been made of the tunnel, and only the Broadway portal elevation, and diagrams showing the longitudinal section of the tunnel proper, and the stairs for pedestrians are here reproduced. From these a reasonably correct idea of what the completed work will be like can be obtained.

merchants. The loss of this trade would be deprecated, and it is hoped that the department may be induced to reconsider its determination to consolidate the local station with that at San Francisco. Maj. Elderkin has been so long in charge that his removal would be regretted very much. Should he be ordered to another post, it would necessitate the abandonment of his home in this city and greatly disarrange all his domestic arrangements.

GARBAGE collection days changed. See ad "Special Notice," fourth page.

ELDERKIN MUST GO.

Order of the War Department Greatly Depreciated.

The Times published a dispatch from Washington yesterday, stating that the Secretary of War had issued an order directing Maj. William A. Elderkin, commissary of subsistence, stationed at Los Angeles, to abandon the station here and proceed to San Antonio, Tex., for assignment as chief commissary of that department, relieving Maj. John F. Weston. The dispatch occasioned much uneasiness about the city and a telegram was sent by President A. Jacoby of the Board of Trade to Senator White, inquiring what foundation there might be for the reported intention of the department to abandon the local station. In response to this the following dispatch was received: WASHINGTON (D. C.) April 3, 1896.—A. Jacoby, president of the Board of Trade, Los Angeles: I will inquire into the matter at once, but if the order has been made experience shows it will be difficult to have it rescinded. STEPHEN M. WHITE.

Maj. Elderkin declared with respect to the telegram that he had no advice whatever from the department and knew nothing beyond what was contained in the telegram. He stated that the commissary department will probably be removed from this city to San Francisco, but he had received no intimation what his assignment would be.

The station has been entrusted with the purchase of supplies for the posts in Arizona, and has distributed annually about \$100,000 among Los Angeles

ADAMS-STREET HOTEL.

Encouraging Progress Reported in the Collection of Subscriptions.

The men who have been engaged in collecting subscriptions for the erection of the big hotel on Adams street are confident that they will have, in thirty days, the entire amount necessary to be raised. For obvious reasons it is not desirable to state the exact amount which has been thus far raised, but it is such as to mightily encourage the men who have been doing the collecting. A meeting of the various committees that have the entire affair in charge was held last evening in the offices of the Cress & Smurr Hardware Company, the following-named being present: Gen. Sherman, R. H. Herron, A. B. Cass, Bruce Cass, Dr. McCoy, Lieut. Miner, F. Harbert, T. A. Eisen, Dr. Hitchcock, G. A. Miller, N. P. Bailey and G. W. Purcell. Reports were made by the chairman of committees, and plans were formulated for the carrying out of the hotel project. The work of collecting subscriptions to the hotel has been steadily carried on through these committees, and encouraging progress was noted by those who have been in the field. The managers of the enterprise have until May 29 to raise the required money and are confident of collecting the entire amount by the last of May.

AT LAST CONVICTED.

Martin Biscailuz Found Guilty of Embezzlement.

Martin V. Biscailuz was yesterday found guilty of embezzlement. The Basque lawyer has so dexterously squirmed and wriggled out of all the former difficulties which have won much notoriety for him that yesterday's verdict was something of a surprise.

The story of the case is that in March, 1895, Mrs. F. Aguilar employed Biscailuz to try to obtain a pardon for her son, who was in the penitentiary for stabbing a man with whose wife young Aguilar was living. As a preliminary, Biscailuz demanded \$1250 attorney's fees. Mrs. Aguilar sold her cook stove to raise the money and has ever since done her cooking over a little fire in a hole in her yard. She also gave Biscailuz \$25 to send to her son in Folsom to pay on parole proceedings. This money Biscailuz is accused of appropriating.

Mrs. Aguilar and her daughter were the witnesses for the prosecution. The defense put upon the stand Judge Smith and Martin Aguirre to attempt to prove that he was merely keeping the money to use in young Aguilar's behalf later. But the jury saw through the flimsy pretenses and with little hesitation returned a verdict of guilty. Justice Morrison deferred sentence till 10 o'clock Monday morning.

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Special Easter Bargain in Men's single-breasted Sack Suits, black and blue Cheviots, finely tailored, never sold under \$12.50 by any clothing house on the Coast, but we say for the Easter Special today..... \$9.95

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Special Easter Bargain in Youth's double-breasted Sack Suits, black and blue Cheviots, in a complete line of sizes, the larger ones will in many cases fit many a man; the special price for today..... \$7.50

Boys' Dept.

Special Easter Bargain in Boys' extra fine black Clay Worsted Suits, finished and made in the Jacoby Bros' highest standard of merit, double breasted, the face of the globe under \$7.50 per suit, here we say for the Easter special today..... \$5.95

Boys' Dept.

Special Easter Bargain in "The Little Captain" Boys' Fancy Cheviot Knee Pant Suits; the Pants have double seat and knees, all parts reinforced and sewed with silk, endless lines of the prettiest spring patterns, worth just a third more, but for the Easter special today we say..... \$4.50

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Hat Dept.

Don't pay \$5 for your Easter Hat. Save \$2.00 by buying the latest, the noblest and the best—Young's Hats. None better made and the price for the Easter style..... \$3.00

Hat Dept.

Easter Novelties in Men's fine straw hats, the very choicest of spring and summer styles. These are the pace as fashion leaders. These straws are exquisite and the price today for the Easter special..... \$1.00

Men's Dept

Don't wear those old baggy-at-the-knees pants tomorrow. Look as nice as your next-door neighbor in a pair of our new spring style trousers. Your purse won't get hurt today. Jacoby Bros' great Easter sale offers them today for..... \$2.45

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Boys' Dept.

Easter Bargain-offering of handsome Percelle Shirt Waists—the celebrated Mother's Friend brand—very latest spring style patterns, pleated front and back, laundered, sold for more than half as much again elsewhere; take an early choice for..... 45c

Boys' Dept.

Easter Bargain-offering of 50 dozen Child's Black Hose, all sizes from 6 to 10, guaranteed fast and stainless black, spliced heel and toes, double Derby ribbed, never sold under 28c per pair, but we say for the Easter Special Today only..... 12c

Boys' Dept.

Easter Bargain-offering in the prettiest line of wide brim Sallor Hats, white, black, navy blue and fancy mixed straws, fine Canton Braid and at the smallest of prices for the Easter Special Today..... 25c

Boys' Dept.

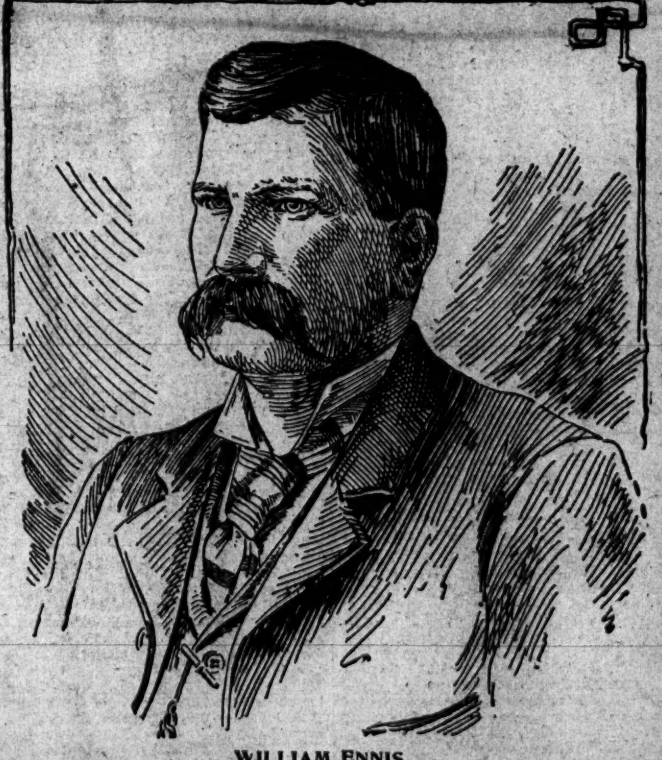
Easter Bargain-offering—and mark it well—a splendid line of Double-breasted Knee-Pant Suits, for all ages from 4 to 14, splendid patterns and most excellent make. The Easter Special Sale Today, suit..... 95c

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Of late nations are showing the result of the strain which has been telling upon the world's people for the past five years. It seems to be a kind of universal plague that has been creeping out in India, China, Europe and America. This state of things continues it is in the men we will have to look to, it is the men we will have to depend upon. Fortunately for America the vast majority of men have their own firesides, and even if some of these firesides are mortgaged they are none the less dear, and men will fight for their firesides when they won't fight for their boarding-houses. That brings us to the point of introducing one of the staunch men of Oregon whose residence is in Newport, Oregon, and who owns his own fireside and who knows how to fight.

William Ennis is esteemed in Newport, and rightly so, because all his fellows can depend upon his word—his word is as good as his bond. When in Newport I spoke to Mr. Ennis and he was pleased to say to me that he recommends the native product, Joy's Vegetable Sarsaparilla, because from his own experience he knows it is a good medicine and deserves high commendation. As his picture will show, he was not on the verge of the grave, yet it is a fact that he was in need of a blood remedy, for his blood was disordered. He felt tired and weary and unable to work as much as he desired. He used several bottles of Joy's Vegetable Sarsaparilla. It cleansed his blood, regulated his liver and kidneys and put him in the condition in which he is now in, so that he is glad to recommend Joy's Vegetable Sarsaparilla as a good spring medicine.

It is a fact worth mentioning at this point that Joy's Vegetable Sarsaparilla contains no iodine of potassium or mineral drugs, and therefore can be taken by any lady or gentleman without expecting pimples on the face, blood blotches on the body or uneasiness whatsoever. He or she who takes Joy's Vegetable Sarsaparilla will be sure to feel better for the taking. In the office of the Edwin W. Joy Company there are over one thousand testimonials from the best of people who are now living on the Pacific Coast, and these testimonials are only a part of the many people who have praised the home remedy. It is a fact of which few people are aware that Joy's Vegetable Sarsaparilla acts on the kidneys and liver although it contains no mercury or mineral drugs. People who are suffering from an affection of the liver, constipation, disordered blood or spring troubles should use Joy's Vegetable Sarsaparilla now. If you have decided to use the remedy, when you ask for it from your druggist be sure he does not talk you into using something else, as there are yet a few druggists who are endeavoring to substitute a cheaper remedy for Joy's Vegetable Sarsaparilla because they make a greater profit, and while the majority of druggists are really honorable men, there are a few who still continue to do that which is not right. Therefore when you ask for Joy's Vegetable Sarsaparilla be sure you get it. HENRY TILLMAN.

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